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President Summoned To Wardha?

First Class Crisis Developing In Congress

(From Our Correspondent)
ALLAHABAD, August 14.

Questioned regarding his views on Mr. Rajagopalachari's resignation from the Congress bodies, Pt. Jawaharlal declined to make any comment. It appears that Pt. Nehru is in communication with Mahatma Gandhi regarding this serious development and is leaving Allahabad to-morrow evening for Wardha where he will meet Gandhiji before proceeding to Bombay.

Pt. Jawaharlal's departure from Allahabad is said to be two or three days in advance of what was contemplated before he left for Lucknow. The hot haste in which he is leaving Allahabad for Wardha, despite ill-health of Mrs. Motilal Nehru, indicates that a first class crisis has developed in the Congress and it is considered not unlikely that Gandhiji has summoned him.

It is stated that the A. I. C. C. meeting will consider the question of Mr. Rajagopalachari's resignation and he may be asked to reconsider it.

Another important question likely came up before the meeting will be the Communal Award. It is stated that a serious attempt will be made to meet the Congress Nationalists' demand with a view to present a united front.

I learn that Pt. Malaviya is anxious to stand by the Congress in the ensuing election fight, if the Congress clearly opposes the Award.

MAHATMA NOT TO COME TO BOMBAY

Important Consultations Will Take Place At Wardha

It is understood that Pandit Jawaharlal Nehru is proceeding to Wardha and will spend a day there before he leaves for Bombay. Mr. C. Rajagopalachari is expected to arrive in Wardha on Sunday, while it is considered likely that other members of the Congress Working Committee may hold informal consultations with Mahatma Gandhi, before they hold the Working Committee meeting in Bombay.

There is no likelihood of Mahatmaji visiting Bombay during the time of the various meetings of Congress leaders arranged to be held, next week. A representative of the "Chronicle" was informed by a prominent Congressman that there was no such move on the part of the Mahatma so far as could be ascertained.

On the other hand important consultations will take place at Wardha and it is considered probable that Bombay Congress leaders may proceed to Wardha. Sardar Vallabhbhai who expected to proceed to Wardha to participate in these discussion has been advised by his doctors not to do so.

Stop Press

MOSCOW SENSATION

MOSCOW, August 14.

M. Zinovieff, M. Kamenev and about a dozen others will be tried by the Supreme Military Collegium on August 19 on the charge of participation in terroristic plots against the State and being leaders at the instigation of M. Trotsky and M. Zinovieff.—Reuter

Tenants & Zamindars Ruined

CONGRESS PRESIDENT ON FLOOD HAVOC

Demands Remission Of Rent And Revenue

ALLAHABAD, Aug. 14.

Pandit Jawaharlal Nehru in a statement issued to the press appeals to the public to contribute freely money and clothing for the relief of sufferers from the floods in U. P. He asks people to send their contributions either to Mr. Mohanlal Saxena or to Swaraj Bhawan, Allahabad.

MORATORIUM ON DEBTS.

Pandit Jawaharlal also stresses the need for remission of rent and revenue and a moratorium on debts of tenants and Zamindars in the affected areas.

NEED OF INQUIRY

Further he draws attention to the frequency with which such devastating floods occur and suggests that a public enquiry conducted by competent engineers should be undertaken in order to devise measures to minimise the dangers ensuing from floods.

The Congress President says:

"Famine and flood have become constant visitors to our unhappy land. They are bad enough wherever they might come, but in India, where millions live normally on the verge of starvation any additional calamity brings utter ruin. In many parts of Bengal there have been famine conditions for months and untold suffering has been the lot of vast numbers of our countrymen there. During the last few weeks, there have been floods in many Provinces with their inevitable accompaniments of homeless wanderers without food or clothing or barest necessities of life.

GLIMPSE OF THE MISERY

"The United Provinces have probably suffered most from these recent floods. I have just visited some of these flooded areas in this province and caught a glimpse of the misery that prevails. During the brief visit; I could not of course, form any adequate idea of the extent of damage done or many problems that await solution. But even the glimpses gave me an insight which newspaper accounts could not have done.

DIST. LOOKS LIKE VAST OCEAN

"Many districts are affected in this province, Lucknow and Unao and the neighbouring areas as well as Eastern Districts. They are all deserving of urgent help and relief. But undoubtedly the worst sufferer is the enormous Gorakhpur district with its dense population of thirty five lakhs and surrounding areas. A great part of Gorakhpur district is to-day a vast ocean which covers the remains of what were twelve or thirteen hundred villages. Little islands stand out here and there with ruined huts and tree tops peep out above the surface of the waters.

IMMEDIATE PROBLEM.

"The immediate problem is one of relief, of providing shelter and food and clothing for the refugees. The Government agencies have removed many of the stranded villagers and provided refugee camps for them. But the task of feeding these many thousands has almost entirely fallen on non-official organizations. The Gita Press in Gorakhpur has done splendid work not only in rescuing the stranded, but in feeding them. They have been feeding daily about ten thousand refugees in camps, including those in Government camps and in addition have been sending food into the interior for another twenty thousand. The local Congress Committee has also opened some camps and fed refugees. There has been full co-operation between the various agencies working for relief.

FUNDS AND CLOTHES NEEDED

"Funds and clothing are urgently needed. The U.P. Congress Committee have appointed a provincial Flood Relief Committee under whose auspices relief work is being done. Sjt. Mohanlal Saxena, M.L.A. is the Secretary of this Committee and donations should be sent to him to the Aminabad Park, Lucknow.

"Donations will also be accepted at the A.I.C.C. Office, Swaraj Bhawan, Allahabad.

"Clothing, old and new, will be welcomed and I hope that Congress Committees, Khadi Bhandars, students and others will make collections. Gifts, from millowners of Saris, dhotis and cloth pieces will also be welcome. Needless to say fancy articles are not required, nor should torn and worn out clothes be sent. All such clothes should be sent either to Sjt. Mohanlal Saxena, Lucknow, or direct to Baba Raghav Das, President, District Congress Committee, Gorakhpur.

"As soon as the immediate problem of relief is dealt with, other and more difficult problems have to be faced.

INQUIRY BY ENGINEERS.

"Why should these devastating floods occur with such alarming frequency? Surely science of engineers is capable of devising means to avoid these floods or to lessen the losses caused by them. It appears that the recent floods

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DOHAD S. O. S. TO GOVERNOR

Dohad And Jhalod Talukas Must Be Declared Famine Areas

(From A Correspondent)
DOHAD, Aug. 14.

The Secretary, Bhil Seva Mandal has wired to the Collector of Broach, the Commissioner of the Northern Division, and the Governor of Bombay.

"Just coming from Bhil villages there no rains during the last 5 weeks. Kharif crops are completely destroyed in Dohad and Jhalod talukas. Panic prevails and the situation is serious and immediate relief is needed. Suffering is becoming acute and famine should be declared. Relief works should be opened within a week.

Condition of the cattle is becoming more serious and fodder supply is needed immediately.

RAJAJI IS ADAMANT

Restoration Of Unswerving Loyalty To Congress Is What Is Needed

MADRAS, Aug. 14.

Though requests have been made from all over the country asking him to reconsider his decision. The latest enquiries show that there is no change in Mr. Rajagopalachari's attitude. He is of the opinion that the thing to be attended to for Congress success is restoration of unswerving loyalty to the decision arrived at after mature deliberation and no undue importance need be attached to his resignation or to the question of who is to be the leader.

Mr. Rajagopalachari leaves Madras to-night, reaching Wardha on Sunday by the Grand Trunk Express.—A. P.

YET TIME FOR "C. R." TO RECONSIDER

MADRAS, August 14.

Dr. Rajan interviewed by the Trichinopoly correspondent of "The Hindu" referring to the Trichy civic election said:—

"The climax of this episode is the retirement of the greatest Congress leader whose integrity of purpose and honesty of motive have always been the admiration even of his worst enemies. That his unmerited affection to me should have been the cause of his retirement is my profound regret. I have never disobeyed him in my long association with him of over twenty years. It has been my fortune to have shared with him, though in a far lesser degree, all the joys and sorrows of Congress life. I know he had made up his mind to do what he has done, but if I acted thus in spite of it, it was in the belief that my apparent indiscipline was a necessity for maintaining the fair name of the Congress, which is a greater motive than individual loyalty.

There is yet time for 'C. R.' to reconsider his decision in the interest of all-India and in response to the requests of his coworkers. But for me my act is done and I must abide by its consequences."

Dr. Rajan ceased to have any connection with the Trichy Congress Committee four months ago. —A.P.

RAJAN CONFIRMS HIS RESIGNATION NEWS

MADRAS, Aug. 14.

With reference to the reported resignation of his membership of the Assembly by Dr. T. S. S. Rajan, the latter, in reply to a telegraphic enquiry by the Associated Press, says: "I have sent my resignation to the Leader of the Congress Party in the Assembly."

Enquiries made earlier showed that the local Congress authorities had no information whatever on the subject from Trichinopoly.—A. P.

CONGRESS AND NATIONALISTS

Bright Chances Of Rapprochement

NAGPUR, Aug. 14.

The "United Press" is reliably informed that chances of an amicable understanding being arrived at between the Congress and the Congress Nationalists at the forthcoming A. I. C. C. meeting are bright. The way has been well paved by the recent Aney-Deo negotiations and the desire for a compromise is expressed by Mr. Biyani, the Berar leader.

Delegates from the four provinces are expected to support the proposal.—United Press.

Badajoz In Flames: Town In Ruins

Major Describes Horrors Of Bombardment: Women And Children As Victims

HEAVY STREET BATTLE IN OVIEDO

LISBON, August 14.

Badajoz is still resisting, despite violent bombardment. The town is now a complete ruin. Raging fire was started by the last bombardment.

Insurgent war 'planes are visible from the Portuguese town of Elvas where thousands of refugees are now gathered.

The Major commanding Government storm guards described the horrors of the bombardment when he arrived in Portugal saying that most of the victims were women, children and old people.—Reuter's Special

CORDOBA CLEARED OF REBELS

MADRID, Aug. 14.

The Prime Minister has announced that Government forces have captured Posoblanco, an industrial centre of 1,500 inhabitants, thirty miles north of Cordoba and 200 Civil Guards who joined the rebels have been imprisoned. The District of Cordoba has been cleared of rebels and the loyal columns are only awaiting orders to occupy the towns.—Reuter's Special.

STREET BATTLE IN OVIEDO

GIBRALTAR, Aug. 14.

Two simultaneous attacks by regular troops from La Linea have resulted in the retreat of the Government forces to Guadiero near Estepona. Insurgents have captured four villages and are now approaching Estepona from several directions. The insurgents claim that loyalists have lost 170 killed while seven machine guns, fifty rifles and hundred cases of ammunition have been captured.

Madrid Government forces have penetrated Oviedo and heavy street fighting is in progress.—Reuter's Special.

BADAJOZ MAY FALL ANY MOMENT

LONDON, August 14.

While a stalemate appears to have been temporarily reached to the north of Madrid, fighting in the south continues unabated. Several insurgent armoured cars are reported from Lisbon to have already entered Badajoz, the fall of which is expected any moment.

GOVERNOR IN HOSPITAL.

The Civil Governor of Badajoz crossed the frontier and has been admitted to hospital following a heart attack. He is said to have wanted to escape for a long time, but was threatened with death. He took advantage of the panic following yesterday's air raid to leave.

'PLANES IN BARCELONA.

Many reports are current of aeroplanes from abroad reaching both sides. Six bomber and ten scouting 'planes are reported to have arrived in Barcelona, gold and cash having been paid for them. The pilots belonged to various nationalities. Three scouts are stated to have crashed while landing.

"BUMPINGS OFF"

"Bumpings off" continue in Barcelona. Sixty-two corpses were admitted to the hospital morgue in one day this week. An armed party from a neighbouring town forced the Mayor of Balaguer to hand over 26 prisoners who were promptly despatched.

The Miners' Syndicate of the Rio Tinto Mines are alleged to be refusing to allow British miners to leave. The Consul is making representations in this connection.—Reuter.

BRITONS HELD AS HOSTAGES

LONDON, Aug. 14.

Thirty-eight Britons employed in the Rio Tinto Mines near Huelva, including two Deputy Managers, are being held as hostages by the Labour Syndicate.

Their wives and families had already been evacuated safely for England and the men had arranged to leave yesterday, but were not allowed to proceed.

The Foreign Office has made representations to the Ambassador who is communicating with the Government at Madrid urging immediate evacuation of Britons

Meanwhile the rebel forces are pressing along the railway joining the mines and the port and the miners are preparing to defend the mines.—Reuter.

MOVE FOR BAN ON Br. 'PLANES FOR SPAIN

LONDON, Aug. 14.

Government has opened a departmental enquiry with the object of preventing British civil 'planes being sent to Spain. Definite action is contemplated without waiting for other countries to take the same step. Ban will be difficult under the existing law, but action might be possible by an Order-in-Council extending the list of commodities wherefare licences are necessary or adopting indirect pressure on exporters.—Reuter.

Chiang's Ultimatum To Rebels

But Kwangsi Plans To Set Up Separatist Government

PEIPING, Aug. 14.

Following the virtual breakdown of the peace negotiations, Chiang Kaishek has given Kwangsi rebels until to-morrow to accept Government's terms.

It is stated that the rebels plan to establish a Separatist Government to-morrow.—Reuter.

SENSATION IN PARIS

"Croix De Feu" Leader's Friend Found Shot Dead

(SPECIAL CABLE)
PARIS, August 14.

A sensation has been caused by the news that M. Hugues Debarbuhat, a friend of the Croix de Feu leader, Col. De La Rocque, was found dead in the Chateau near Clermont Ferrand where he was staying with Col. De La Rocque. A bullet was found in his right temple.

—OTHER FLOOD NEWS ON PAGE 20—

FIVE-YEAR PLAN FOR FRENCH AIR FORCE

PARIS, Aug. 12.

The Senate has unanimously adopted the Bill, already passed by the Chamber, providing a five-year plan for the renewal and upkeep of the French Air Force with an yearly expenditure of 550,000,000 Francs. The plan has been worked out on the basis of a fleet of 1,000 machines.

According to the President of the Air Committee of the Senate, Germany already has over 2,500 machines. The Air Minister M. Cot said that France could not afford to lag behind other nations.—Reuter.

Saxena For Flood Area

BALLIA, Aug. 14.

The Central Flood Relief Committee writes:

Heart-rending tales are coming from flood affected area. Mr. Mohanlal Saxena, M.L.A. contributes Rs. 50 and is personally visiting the area on August 14. Mr. Rajaram Shukla coming from Pt. Malaviyaji visited the affected area. Relief work is proceeding vigorously. Effective relief is hampered by want of funds. Immediate help is solicited.

INDO-BRITISH STEEL MERGER

New Works To Be Erected To Produce 250,000 Tons A Year

LONDON, Aug. 14.

The amalgamation scheme of the Bengal Iron and Indian Iron and Steel Company has now received the approval of the Boards of the two companies.

Meanwhile, negotiations are well advanced for the formation of a company to erect and operate a steel works alongside the latter's blast furnace at Hirapur with an initial yearly output of 250,000 tons. Subject to the completion of the negotiations, the financing of the new company has been undertaken by Tatas, Burns, Indian Iron and Steel, Birds and Haes, while the shareholders of the Tatas and the Amalgamated Companies will be given preferential treatment in the subscription of the new company's capital.

It has been decided to postpone the Bengal Iron Company's annual general meeting which will possibly be held with the necessary special meetings in the first half of November.—Reuter.

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2. To declare a dividend.
3. To declare an extra 'Jubilee' Dividend.
4. To carry to Reserve Fund, the amount standing at the foot of the Forfeited share account.
5. To elect Directors in place of those retiring.
6. To appoint Auditors for the ensuing year and to fix their remuneration.

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By order of the Board of Directors,
JUGATRAM & CO.,
Secretaries,
Treasurers & Agents.

Bombay, 26th June 1936.

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Public Notices.

THE TAPTI VALLEY RAILWAY COMPANY, LIMITED.

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By Order of the Board,
KILLICK NIXON & CO.,
Agents.

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Bombay, 14th Aug., 1936. 3743.

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IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT BOMBAY.

ORDINARY ORIGINAL CIVIL JURISDICTION.

Suit No. 1502 of 1933.

BAI JAIJI ERACHSHAW DAROGA and another ..... Plaintiffs.
vs.
PIROJSHAW DOSSABHOY CONTRACTOR and others ..... Defendants.

Pursuant to Consent Decree, Order and Judge's Order, dated 11th July, 1934, 10th January, 1935, and 6th March, 1936, respectively the following immovable properties will be sold by Public Auction in two lots by the Commissioner of this Honourable Court at his Office in the Court House on MONDAY, 17th August, 1936, at 3 P.M. (S. T.)

PARTICULARS.
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Khetwadi 12th Lane Property.

ALL THAT piece of Fazandari land, containing by admeasurement 236 square yards or thereabouts (out of a larger plot of land) together with the dwelling house standing thereon, situate on the Western side of Khetwadi, 12 Lane, bearing Cadastral Survey No. 1114 of Girgaon Division and Municipal "D" Ward No. 2051 (1a) and Street No. 20.

LOT NO. II.
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FIRSTLY:—ALL THAT piece of Garden land with the dwelling house standing thereon called a Wadi (Oart) situate, behind the Petit Sanitorium at Bordi Village, Taluka Dahanu, District Thana with a bungalow thereon admeasuring one acre and 7¼ Gunthas and bearing Survey No. 227, Pot No. 1, Entry No. 460.

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For further particulars and conditions of Sale, application should be made at the Office of the said Commissioner or at the Office of Messrs. SMETHAM BYRNE AND LAMBERT, Attorneys for the 1st Plaintiff abovenamed at No. 46, Church Gate Street, Fort, Bombay.

Dated this 7th day of July, 1936.
(Sd.) G. R. KHAIRAZ,
Officiating Commissioner.
3662.

Legal Notices.

HIGH COURT.
O. O. C. J.
Suit No. 1852 of 1935.

PRABHU BHARGAVA .....Plaintiff.
vs.
SHADILAL BHALLA ....Defendant.
and
Messrs. NARIELVALA &. FRAMROZE .....Applicants.

To,
PRABHU BHARGAVA, the plaintiff abovenamed.

PLEASE TAKE NOTICE that all persons concerned should attend at the Office of the Offg. Asst. Taxing Master, 3rd floor, High Court, on TUESDAY, the 25th August, 1936, at 12-30 P.M. (S.T.) at the taxation of the Plaintiff's bill of costs to be taxed between attorney and client.

Dated this 14th day of August, 1936.
NARIELVALA & FRAMROZE.
Attorneys-at-Law
3741.

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT BOMBAY.

ORDINARY ORIGINAL CIVIL JURISDICTION.

Suit No. 2449 of 1927.

Messrs. AMICHAND RAMJI & COMPANY, a firm: Plaintiffs.
Versus.
SHAMSUNNISSA BEGUM, widow and Others: .....Defendants.

PURSUANT to Decree, dated 14th November, 1930, the following immovable properties being lots Nos. I and III will be sold by Public Auction by the Commissioner of this Honourable Court at his Office in the Court House on TUESDAY, 25th August, 1936 at 3 P.M. (S.T.)

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All that piece of land situate at Kurla, Bombay Suburban District TOGETHER with the bungalow and two chawls standing thereon and bearing Kurla Municipality New Mill Ward House No. 366, 367 and 368.

LOT NO. III.

All that piece of land, situate at Kurla, Bombay Suburban District, bearing Entry Nos. 2473, 2475, Pot No. 6 Falni No. 2, New Survey Nos. 312, 312, Hisa No. 6-1/4 8-3/4 and admeasuring One Acre and 25 Gunthas and 7-3/4 Gunthas.

For further particulars and conditions of Sale, application should be made at the Office of the said Commissioner or at the office of Messrs. TAYABJI DAYABHAI & CO., Attorneys for the Plaintiffs abovenamed at No. 41, Hummum Street, Fort, Bombay.

Dated this 18th day of July, 1936
G. R. KHAIRAZ,
Offg. Commissioner.
3733.

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT BOMBAY

TESTAMENTARY & INTESTATE JURISDICTION.

EDWARD VIII, by the Grace of God, of Great Britain, Ireland and the British Dominions beyond the Seas King, Defender of the Faith, Emperor of India.

Petition for Letters of Administration of property and credits of KHATRI HASSAM MAHOMED, late of Bombay Khatri Mahomedan Inhabitant, formerly a Merchant, but retired some time prior to his death, residing at 165, Jambli Mohalla in Abdulla Building at Jambli Mohalla, outside the Fort of Bombay. ..... Deceased.

(1) SIDDICK HASSAM and (2) ABDULLA HASSAM, both of Bombay Khatri Mahomedan Inhabitants, residing at 114, Ali Oomer Street, outside the Fort of Bombay. ..... Petitioners.

All persons claiming to have any interest in the Estate of the abovenamed deceased are hereby cited to come and see the Proceedings if they think fit before the Grant of Letters of Administration.

Witness SIR JOHN WILLIAM FISHER BEAUMONT, Knight, Chief Justice at Bombay aforesaid this 14th day of August in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and thirty-six and in the first year of our Reign.

Seal of the High Court at Bombay

(Sd.) R. B. PATEL,
Prothonotary and Senior Master.

(Sd.) TAHIR ALI.

The 14th day of August, 1936.
Messrs. MAHIMTURA & CO.,
Petitioners' Attorneys.
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Legal Notices.

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT LAHORE.

In the matter of L. HARKISHEN LAL'S Estate.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that shares, belonging to L. Harkishen Lal, Insolvent, in various companies like the Reserve Bank of India; Lahore Electric Supply Company, Limited, Peshawar, Larkana, Central India, Rohtak and Hissar Districts, Jullunder, Sialkot Electric Supply Companies and various other concerns will be sold by Auction at 10-30 A.M. on 1st September, 1936, in the High Court, Lahore. Particulars and details of shares can be had from the undersigned.

Prospective buyers will be required to deposit forthwith 5 per cent. of their offer as earnest money in the form of cash, certified Bankers' cheque or Government securities.

By Order,—
KHWAJA NAZIR AHMAD,
Special Official Receiver,
Punjab and Delhi Provinces.
3742.

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT BOMBAY.

ORDINARY ORIGINAL CIVIL JURISDICTION.

COMMERCIAL CAUSE.

Suit No. 1211 Of 1931.

Messrs. MAHOMED SULEMAN AND CO., a firm ..... Plaintiffs.
vs.
RAMLAL BHARMAL and others ..... Defendants.

PURSUANT TO DECREE Absolute for Sale, dated 22nd February, 1934, and Judge's Order, dated 22nd March, 1935, the right, title and interest of the 2nd, 3rd and 5th defendants herein in the properties hereunder mentioned will be sold by Public Auction in seven lots by the Commissioner of this Honourable Court at his Office in the Court House on TUESDAY, 1st September, 1936, at 3 P.M. (S.T.)

PARTICULARS.
LOT NO. 1.

Araji Morusi Kitai land, situate at Tarapore, Tahsil Harda, District Hoshangabad, admeasuring 18 Acres and 9 Gunthas, bearing Bandobast No. 171 and Patta No. 52, and 54.

LOT NO. 2.

Right, title and interest of the 2nd, 3rd and 5th defendants in the mortgages of:—

(1) Land situate at Panghat (Kalan). admeasuring Acres 2572 and 38 Gunthas and Kalan and bearing Bandobast No. 79.

(2). 12 annas share in the land at Panghat Khurd, admeasuring Acres 1260 and 54 Gunthas and bearing Bandobast No. 80.

(3). 8 annas share in the land at Juna Pani, admeasuring Acres 620 and 25½ Gunthas and bearing Bandobast No. 187/4.

(4). 1/3rd share in the Morsi Kitai land, admeasuring Acres 4 and Gunthas 35 and bearing Survey No. 259, situate at Amasel Tahsil Harda District Hoshangabad.

LOT NO. 3.

Right, title and interest of the 2nd, 3rd and 5th defendants in the mortgage of the Morusi Kitai land, situate at Pipalia, Tahsil Harda, District Hoshangabad, admeasuring Acres 69 and 28 Gunthas bearing Survey Nos. 7, 21, 49, 178, Bandobast No. 257 and (2) in the Mortgage of Araji Morusi Kitai land, admeasuring Acres 32 and 19 Gunthas, bearing Survey No. 55, Bandobast No. 245, situate at Pahat-Khurd Taluka Harda, District Hoshangabad.

LOT NO. 4.

Right, title and interest of the 2nd, 3rd and 5th defendants in the Mortgage of the Morusi Kitai land, admeasuring Acres 87 and 45 Gunthas bearing Nos. 122 and 128/1 and 144 and 252 and 378 Bandobast No. 260, situate at Pokharani Tehsil Harda, District Hoshangabad.

LOT NO. 5.

Right, title and interest of the 2nd, 3rd and 5th Defendants in the Mortgage of the Morusi Kitai land, situate at Tarapore Tahsil Harda District Hoshangabad, admeasuring 39 Acres 87, and bearing Survey No. 21 Bandobast No. 171.

LOT NO. 6.

Right, title and interest of the 2nd, 3rd and 5th Defendants under a Karaj Khat, dated 10th May, 1929.

LOT NO. 7.

Right, title and interest of the 2nd, 3rd and 5th defendants under the Karaj Khat, dated 3rd February, 1930.

For further particulars and conditions of Sale, application should be made at the Office of the said Commissioner or at the office of Messrs. MADHAVJI AND CO., Attorneys for the Plaintiffs abovenamed at No. 33, Medows Street, Fort, Bombay.

Dated this 25th day of June, 1936.

(Sd.) G. R. KHAIRAZ,
Offg. Commissioner.
3731.

Legal Notices.

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT BOMBAY.

ORDINARY ORIGINAL CIVIL JURISDICTION.

Suit No. 458 of 1936.

Messrs. DHARSEY NANJI & CO., LTD. ..... Plaintiffs.
vs.
RAISEY HEMRAJ and others ..... Defendants.

To,
(1) RAISEY HEMRAJ. (2) DEWRAJ DEPA, (3) LALJI DEWRAJ and (4) POPAT alias JAVERCHAND DEPA,

The defendants abovenamed.

The plaintiffs have filed the above suit in the High Court, Bombay, against you praying for a decree for Rs. 11,379-6-3 with interest on Rs. 8,422-4-3 at 7-1/2 per cent per annum from 21-1-1936 cost and interest on judgment. Please note that you are summoned to appear in court on 9th September, 1936, at 11 a.m. (S.T.) in person or by an advocate instructed by an attorney with witnesses and documents and also note that in default of your appearance on the day aforesaid the suit will be heard exparte.

Dated this 18th day of April, 1936.

TAHER ALI,
For Prothonotary & Senior Master.
Messrs. DAPHTARY FERREIRA AND DIVAN,
Plaintiffs' Attorneys.
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IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT BOMBAY.

ORDINARY ORIGINAL CIVIL JURISDICTION.

Summary Suit No. 1008 of 1936.

Messrs. JIVATLAL PURTAPSHI ..... Plaintiffs.
vs.
Messrs. EAHUBALLI GULABCHAND, a firm, carrying on business at Sholapur. ..... Defendants.

To,
BAHUBALLI GULABCHAND.

You are hereby informed that the plaintiffs have filed the above suit to recover Rs. 1,170 interest and costs and the Writ of Summons is ordered to be served upon you as a partner of the Defendant firm. Unless you obtain leave to defend this suit within ten days from to-day or such further period as may be allowed on application to the Chamber Judge the plaintiffs will be entitled to a decree for Rs. 1,170 interest and costs.

(Sd.) R. B. PATEL,
Prothonotary and Senior Master.
Messrs. KANGA & CO.,
Plaintiffs' Attorneys.
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NOTICE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that DINSHA KHARSEDJI DAJI, ARDESHIR HORMARJI WADIA, SORAB NAOROJI VAKIL and Dr. R. RAO, the Trustees of the late Mr. Pooranmal Goolji Singhanee have contracted to sell to our client Mr. DAYARAM DAMODER MITHAIWALA, the undermentioned property. All persons having any claim to or upon the said property or any part thereof by way of mortgage, sale, lease, gift, trust, use, inheritance, lien, easement, encumbrances or otherwise however are required to make the same known in writing to the undersigned at their Office at Mercantile Bank Buildings, Esplanade Road, Fort, within 14 days from the date hereof, failing which all claims will be considered as waived and the purchase shall be completed without any regard thereto:—

DESCRIPTION OF THE PROPERTY.

ALL that piece or parcel of land or ground with the messuage tenement or dwelling house standing thereon situate, lying and being at Girgaum Back Road, also known as Vithalbhai Patel Road, in the Registration Sub-District of Bombay, in the Island of Bombay, containing by admeasurement 551 square yards or thereabouts registered in the Books of the Collector of Land Revenue under Old Nos. 540 and 541, New Nos. 1650 and 3425, New Survey Nos. 1 & 2/, 7841 and Cadastral Survey No. 587, Girgaum Division and in the Books of the Collector of Municipal Assessment under D Ward Nos. 1301 to 1303 (2), Street Nos. 150, and bounded as follows, that is to say, on or towards the East by the property of Narandas Thackersey Mulji, on or towards the West by private passage and property of Maneckbai, widow of Lalji Narotamdas, on or towards the North by the Girgaum Back Road and on or towards the South by the property of Amarchand Madhavji.

Dated this 11th day of Aug., 1936.

PAYNE & CO.
Purchaser's Attorneys.
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Legal Notices.

NOTICE.

Estate of NILKANT ATMARAM SHIVESHVARKAR also known as NILKANT ATMARAM ..... Deceased.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that all persons claiming debts or liabilities affecting the estate of the abovenamed Nilkant Atmaram Shiveshvarkar also known as Nilkant Atmaram late an Advocate, High Court, of Bombay Hindu Inhabitant, deceased, who died at Bombay, on or about the 1st day of December, 1935 and the Probate of whose Will having effect throughout the whole of British India was granted on the 28th day of July, 1936, to Mangesh Jayawant (Jayavant) Divekar, of Bombay are hereby required to send in their claims to the said Executor at the Office of his Attorneys, Messrs. Mansukhlal Hiralal & Co., within one calendar month from the date hereof at the expiration of which time the said Executor will hand over the assets to the persons entitled thereto having regard only to the claims of which he shall then have notice.

Dated this 14th day of August, 1936.

MANSUKHLAL HIRALAL & CO.,
Executor's Attorneys.
Address:—Surya Mahal, 5, Military Square Lane, Fort, Bombay.
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Auction Sales

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AUCTION SALE OF FANCY SHOP GOODS AND GOODWILL OF WM. NORONHA & CO., (INSOLVENT.)

By order of the Official Assignee shop goods such as ties, felt hats, handkerchiefs, toilet requisites, furniture and goodwill will be sold on MONDAY, 17th August, 1936 at 4 P.M. (S.T.) at Karanjia Building next to Kayani Restaurant, Dhobi Talao.

AUCTION SALE OF TWO GINS AND PRESS FACTORIES, BUILDINGS AND LAND AT KHAMGAON (BERAR.)

By order of the Liquidators of the New Mofussil Co., Ltd., Bombay (In Voluntary Liquidation), the undersigned will sell by Public Auction on FRIDAY, the 28th August, 1936, at 4-0 P.M. (S.T.) at their Rooms at 122, Apollo Street, Fort, Bombay, 2 Gins and Press Factories, Buildings, stores, 8-96 acres lands, etc.

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AUCTION SALE OF A VALUABLE IMMOVABLE PROPERTY AT KAMATIPURA BAZAR ROAD.

Messrs. GANDHI & CO., Auctioneers, will, under instructions from Messrs. Mahimtura & Co., Attorneys for Messrs. Jethaji Bhawaji & Co., the Mortgagees and on account and at the risk of the Administrator General of Bombay and the Administrator of the Estate and effects of Shanker Rajanna Jilker (deceased) the Mortgagor in exercise of the power of sale contained in the Indenture of Mortgage, dated the 8th day of April 1932, sell by Public Auction the undermentioned immovable property (THIS DAY) SATURDAY, the 15th August 1936 at 4-30 p.m. (S.T.) on the premises.

All that piece of land of Quit and Ground Rent tenure with house situate at Kamatipura Bazar Street, admeasuring 164 square yards (as described in the conveyance dated 2nd August 1893) but according to Cadastral Survey Register 157 square yards or thereabouts, registered by the Collector under New Nos. 10089, 10911, New Survey Nos. 6709 and 6708 and assessed by the Municipality under E Ward No. 1027. New Street Nos. 5 of Kamatipura 10th Lane and 64, 66, 68 of Kamatipura Bazar Road and bearing Cadastral Survey No. 498 of Byculla Division and bounded on the East by Kamatipura Bazar Road, on the West by an immovable property bearing Street No. 7 of Kamatipura 10th Lane and belonging to Vithal alias Shanker Shambhaji, on the North by Kamatipura 10th Street and on the South by a Sweepers' passage.

For further particulars and conditions of sale please apply to Messrs. Mahimtura & Co., Attorneys for the Mortgagees, at their Office at No. 66, Tamarind Lane, Fort, or to the undersigned.

GANDHI & CO.

Colaba Tragedy Case Hearing

Searching Cross-Examination Of Witnesses

BOMBAY, Friday

Searching cross-examination of the 'ayah', Staff-Sergeant Livick, who picked up the girl Mr. H. J. Goddard, a friend of Major Adams was a feature of to-day's hearing of the trial of Major U. W. Adams, who is charged with causing the death of Muriel Eleanor Williams, the four-year-old daughter of Quarter Master Williams on July 18 last.

When the case was called out, Major Adams was not in the Court. After a short while, the Magistrate said he would issue a warrant.

The police prosecutor then stated that Major Adams was present, and immediately Major Adams stepped into the Court-room.

Magistrate: Where were you, Major Adams?

Major Adams: I was told that the case was at 12-30.

Magistrate: Who told you that?

Major Adams: The station staff officer told me.

Magistrate: He has no business to tell you that.

Magistrate: Where is your barrister?—

He was also told that the case would come up at 12-30 p.m.

Magistrate: Who told him that? Go and fetch your barrister. Don't go yourself, send somebody.

Soon after, counsel for defence, Mr. S. D. Vimadalal, appeared.

Ayah Cross-Examined

Chandrabagh Ramchandra, the Ayah, was further cross-examined. She stated that she was holding the children on both the hands though she had an unbrella, two overcoats and two hats on the left fore-arm. The shock and a bag fell down when she lifted up the child. She had no toys with her.

Counsel: I put it to you that you were frightened you will lose the job and therefore concocted the story that you were holding the children. That is not the reason why I say so. I held the children by hands.

The next witness to be cross-examined was Mr. H. J. Goddard. Mr. Goddard said that he knew the accused for ten or twelve months. Major Adams drove him home on the day in a perfectly normal manner at a normal speed not exceeding thirty miles an hour.

Witnessed and Major Adams had three pink-gins at Cornaglia's in between music and talking.

There were two gates to Major Adam's bungalow. There was a sharp bend and a lane next to one of the gates. This was kept locked. Major Adams drove into the first gate. And there was a double curve within a few feet. And this gate was negotiated in a perfectly normal manner, and the car was parked in the verandah.

No Liquor At Lunch

Neither witness nor Major Adams had any alcohol at lunch. And after the milk punch the accused was in the same condition in the course of the conversation. Both of them had had the same quantity of drinks upto the time witness went home. Major Adams drove him home along Colaba Road. The speed of the car was the same as before. He was keeping to the straight course, and was driving just as "we normally drive the car."

Counsel: By the way, were you sober?—Yes. (Laughter).

Witness said Major Adams reversing the car after leaving him at his bungalow.

Witness was in Major Adams's car on two occasions on the day in question. Major Adams used the brakes when he entered the compound of the bungalow and another time when he stopped to drop him at the bungalow. On both the occasions the brakes worked properly. If the brakes were slipping or defective, the car would have dashed against the gate.

Counsel: What impression has he given you as a driver?—He is one of the best driver I know.

Answering further questions, Mr. Goddard stated that if a car brushed against any object near the rear door of the car, the driver may not be aware of it, especially in a bumpy road, unless the impact was extremely heavy. Especially at the left rear door, the chances of his noticing were less.

To a question from the Police Prosecutor, witness said that the surface of the road was tarred.

Contractor's Evidence

Mr. Bhomaji Shiwaji, a 78-year old military contractor, cross-examined, stated that he had, on the day of the accident, came out of the Sub-Divisional Officer's office and was standing talking to a friend, Munir. Witness was facing the Afghan Church. He saw the Ayah when she passed by him. She was having her hands on the waist of the children and not on the shoulders. He had looked in the direction the Ayah had gone.

Witness saw a soldier on the scene of the accident after the child had been removed in a car. The soldier went towards him and asked Munir for the loan of a cycle. Witness and Munir were at the spot before the soldier arrived. Munir declined to give a cycle to the soldier. Before and after the accident, the car kept to a straight path. Munir did not have to move though the car had passed two or three feet behind Munir.

Witness could say this because he had followed the course of the car and apprehended that one of the children might be knocked down. The road was narrow, there were no footpaths and the Ayah with the children was walking on the road.

Witness had seen no soldier crossing the road in front of the car. A car came, a minute or two after the accident, and picked up the child.

Witness had not seen the child being hit by the car; he only saw the child being flung forward. But witness was sure that neither the front portion of the car, nor the wheels had come in contact with the girl. He could not estimate the speed of the car but it was going as the car usually moved.

Staff Sergeant John J. Livick, whose wife picked up the child from the road next stepped into the witness box. A car overtook his at the Birdwood Hostel after tooting. Witness knew Major Adams by sight but he did not think that the car overtook him was Major Adams' car. There was no other car in front of him at the time on the road.

DID NOT SEE ACCIDENT

Witness did not see the accident actually happen.

Counsel: From a distance, you saw the child running across the road?—I did not see the accident. Witness could not recollect if he had talked to a lieutenant about the accident. But witness had told Dr. Haleinan that it was his impression that the car in front of him was Major Adams'.

Staff Sergeant Livick saw Private Day first outside the mortuary of the Hospital. Private Day then told him that "something was on his conscience." Witness asked him what he meant. He replied that he had not spoken the truth. Then Private Day told him that he was wild at the time and therefore he had said anything.

SCENE OF ACCIDENT

To a question from the police prosecutor, witness said that the scene of the accident was 200 to 250 yards from the point where the child was lying. He had not signalled to the driver to pass by him. He was doing 20 miles an hour.

The next witness to be cross-examined was Sergeant Cyril R. Saunders of the Colaba police. He received a telephone message at about 5.30 p.m. on the day. Within two minutes he left for the hospital. He met Private Day at the junction of Pilot Bunder Road and Colaba Road. Only one or two persons were there. Private Day went towards witness's car and showed him the handle.

Sergeant Saunders stated that he made inquiries from Staff Sergeant Livick, the child's parents, and the Ayah at the hospital. Staff Sergeant Livick had suggested that the car that had knocked down the child was that of Major Adams. He then went to Major Adams' house at about 6 p.m. He entered the bungalow and shortly after left to find out Col. Cadell. He went to the Cooperage because he was told that Col. Cadell was there. He met here Superintendent Bull of the 'A' division, Dr. Fanaken, and all the three went to Major Adams' bungalow.

The Sergeant then returned to the scene of the accident and said Private Day. Private Day's statement was later recorded.

Witness denied that Private Day told him he was very wild with the driver of the car.

Inspector Boman Chotia of the Motor Vehicles Department stated that the handles in the motor car were fixed so firmly that the car could be pushed by pulling the handles. The handle that was picked up from the scene of the accident seemed to have been twisted and snapped.

Inspector Bird of the Colaba police station, stated in cross-examination that the 'Panchnama' was taken at 6-30 p.m. on the day in question, and not at 5-45 as recorded in the 'panchnama.' That was a mistake. He was present when Dr. Fanaken examined the accused. The electric lght was not on at the time.

HANDLE IN DRAIN

A police constable, the next witness to be cross-examined, deposed that a crowd had collected at the scene of the accident. He went to the place and made enquiries. He saw a soldier in the crowd. He did not notice any cycle with him. He picked up a handle (of the car) lying on the storm-water drain. The soldier went up to him and asked for the handle, which the soldier later showed to Sergeant Saunders. The soldier also told him that he knew all about the accident. Witness did not ask him any details because the soldier did not understand Hindusthani and he could not speak English. None in the crowd could speak Hindusthani.

Major Adams declared: "I saw the children and the 'ayah' walking along the road. They were walking well out of my way." He wanted to put in a written statement.

The case was adjourned to August 21.

Mr. R. P. Thanawala, police prosecutor, conducted the prosecution while Mr. S. D. Vimadalal defended the accused.

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8-0 p.m. Band of His Majesty's Grenadier Guards.
8-55 p.m. England v. All-India. A commentary on the Third Test Match, from the Oval, London.
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a.m.
8-0 Naat—By Rashid Ahmad of Ajmer.
8-10 A.I.R. Orchestra. Jangla Bhairvin.
8-20 Afzal Husain of Nagina. "A he gaya woh mujh ko lahad men utarne Ghaflat bara na ki mire ghaflat shiarne." (Hafeez).
8-30 Piano and Sitar. Dance Melody. (Tabla accompaniment by Tufail).
8-35 Allah Bandi of Hindaun. "Arab-i-ishtiaq se parda na chahiya Ai husn-i-khud numa tujhe aisa na chahiye." (Hasrat Mohani).
8-45 Talk (Hindustani): "Chinese Women." By Chaman Lal.
9-0 Ghulam Sabir. Sarangi—Bilas Khani.
9-5 Rashid Ahmed of Ajmer. Niki lage mohe opne piya ki." Thumri Jonpuri.
9-15 Afzal Husain of Nagina. "Mujhe ai ahl-i-Kaaba yad kia maikhana ata hai Idhar diwana jata hai udhar mastana ata hai." (Dagh).
9-25 P. S. Mukerji. Sarod—Bhibas.
9-30 Rashid Ahmad of Ajmer. "Chori chori se milungi" Thumri Bhairvin.
9-40 Allah Bandi of Hindaun. Thumri Madh Mad.
9-50 Rashid Ahmad of Ajmer. "Iztirab-i-shaoq nazr-i-zabt-i- kamil ho gaya Siahi tha marna magar ab woh bhi mushkil ho gaya. Sayyad Nasir).

p.m.
1-0 European Recorded Music. A Programme of New Gramophone Records.
6-0 A. I. R. Orchestra. Kafi.
6-10 Allah Bandi of Hindaun. Khayal Mian ki Todi.
6-20 1st News Bulletin and Weather Report. (Hindustani).
6-30 1st News Bulletin and Weather Report. (English).
6-40 Rashid Ahmad of Ajmer. "Lage more nain." Thumri Pilu.
6-50 Afzal Husain of Nagina. "Hai gham men maza ap ke arman se ziada Sine men khatakta hai yeh paikan se ziada" (Bekhud).
7-0 Allah Bandi of Hindaun. "Taqaza maut ka hai aur main hun, Bazurgon ki dua hai aur main hun." (Hafeez).
7-10 Rashid Ahmad of Ajmer. "Nahin matlab mujhe donon jahan ki, badsahi se Gada -i-Khwaja-i-Ajmer hun fazl-i-Ilahi se." (Nawab Khadim Husain Khan).
7-20 Allah Bandi of Hindaun. Dadra.
7-30 "For Villagers Only."
8-30 Talk (Hindustani): "Election" By Rasheed Ahmad Siddiqi.
8-45 Songs from "Safed Khun" (King Lear)—(Part 11). By A. I. R. Artists.
9-15 2nd News Bulletin and Weather Report. (Hindustani).
9-30 2nd News Bulletin and Weather Report. (English.)
9-45 Talk English Sanctions by A. J. Raisman.
10-0 A.I. R. Orchestra. (Supplication)—"Niaz.'
10-10 Arashid Ahmad of Ajmer. "Tumari aur hamre dan nainan.'' Dadra.
10-20 Allah Bandi of Hindaun. Thumri Kedara.
10-30 Afzal Husain of Nagina. Jahan lag gai kargar ho gai Miri ah teri nazar ho gai." (Dagh).
10-40 Rashid Ahmad of Ajmer. "Nigahen pher lin mahw-i-jamal kar ke mujhe Ghazab hai chhor gae woh halal kar ke mujhe." (Jalil.)
10-50 Allah Bandi of Hindaun. "Wuhi arzuen hain hasrat wuhi hai." (Hasrat Mohani).

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12-36 SB A variety Studio Programme by Messrs. T. E. Bevan & Co., Ltd. ("Columbia" Recording.)
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1-36 A Story. By Provabaty Devi Saraswaty.
1-56 Musical Selections.
2-36 Talks (Bangali): "News and Notes." "After-care of Prisoners." By Bella Halder.
5-36 p.m. Musical Selections.
6-6 p.m. Talk (Bengali): 'The Importance to the Province of Paddy and how the out-turn of the crop is increased by Irrigation from Canals." By Subodh Kumar Pal.
6-26 p.m. The Calcutta Orchestra.
6-36 p.m. A Classical Programme. Lalit Mohan Mukherjee—Dhrupad.
6-56 p.m. Ashaq Hussain—Kheyal.
7-16 p.m. Suraj Prosad—Kheyal.
7-36 p.m. Manju Shahib—Thungri.
7-51 p.m. SB News in English.
8-6 p.m. SB Instrumental Music. Rajendra Narayan Sen Gupta—Sarode Solo.
8-21 p.m. SB 'World Tourist's Diary.'—Travels in China. By Ram Nath Biswas.
8-36 p.m. SB Kirtan. By Krishna Chandra Dey.
8-51 p.m. SB General News Bulletin. Weather Forecast, Market Prices, Jute and Gunny Closing Rates. (In Bengali.
9-6 p.m. SB 'Baxter—The Family Vault.' A Play in One Act. By Jehan-Le-Brun.
9-26 p.m. SB A Musical Interlude.
9-36 p.m. SB Dance Music. By The Grand Hotel Dance Orchestra. Relayed from 'Prince's' Restaurant.
10-6 p.m. SB 2nd News Bulletin. Weather Forecast, Market Prices, Jute and Gunny Closing Rates. (In English.)
10-21 p.m. SB Dance Music. Relayed from 'Prince's. (Contd.).

TRIBUTE TO INDIAN SYSTEM

Hanuman Vyayam Mandal's Demonstrations At Berlin

BERLIN, July 29.
(By Air Mail).

As previously arranged, 2 informal demonstrations of the Hanuman Vyayam Mandal's team in the Olympiad were held on the 25th and 29th July. The demonstrations were witnessed by thousands of athletes of various nations and appreciated by all the prominent authorities of the Berlin Olympic Committee were so much impressed that they openly expressed the view that the final demonstrations of the Mandal would be successful and educative.

Out of the teams of all nations participating in the Olympiads, only five were selected to sing Olympic songs on the opening day of the XI Olympiad, i.e. on the 1st August and the Mandal's team had the honour of being selected among these five teams.

TRIBUTE TO INDIAN SYSTEM

Informal demonstrations of indigenous wrestling by the athletes of various countries were held in which Mandal athletes took prominent part and it is gratifying to note that the Indian system of wrestling was proved to be the best. Out of the games exhibited by the Mandal's athletes so far in their informal demonstrations Malkhamb (Pule wrestling) was praised all over. Hanging malkhamb and cane malkhamb were also demonstrated with success. Swinging of "Baneti" created great surprise. Great curiosity is being witnessed amongst the world's athletes about Indian games in general and Indian fencing in particular, demonstration of which has been reserved for some future occasion.

August 11 has been fixed for the final demonstrations of the Mandal's team in the Official Programme of Olympics when all the Indian games will be finally demonstrated. Dr. S. K. Kane, President of the team will deliver a lecture on the Indian system of Physical Culture on the same date and arrangements are being made to broadcast his lecture throughout Germany on radio.

The Mandal's team is now busy practising for the final demonstrations.—Reuter.

BRIGHT WEATHER IN POONA

POONA, August 14.
The Secretary of the R. W. I. T. C. wires:—
"Weather forecast fair, Course in excellent condition."

The marriage of Dr. N. R. Suvarna, the well-known Bombay tennis player and an ex-Western India Tennis Champion, and Hon. Surgeon, Congress Free Hospital with Miss Gulab Kalsekar took place in Bombay on Friday. Dr. Suvarna is a Kanarite while Miss Kalsekar is a Maharashtrian.

DEATH OF FAMOUS SPORTSMAN

LONDON August 13.

The death occurred to-day of Sir Harry Preston, a Brighton hotel proprietor, sportsman and sponsor of charity boxing tournaments, and an outstanding personality with a great number of friends in all walks of life. In 1927 he received a presentation of a silver Chippendale salver engraved with 126 names, including that of present King as Prince of Wales.

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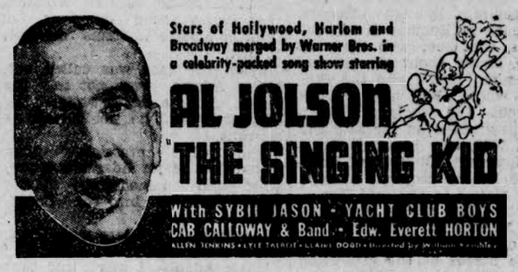
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Sunset: 7h 7m

S. S. 'Maloja,' with English mails, sails at 1 p.m.

Rovers Cup Football: Bangalore Muslims vs. Transit Section, Cooperage, 5-45 p.m.

Monday, August 17.

International Social Club: Programme of music, Taj Mahal Hotel, 6 p.m.

Tuesday, August 18.

University of Bombay: Annual Convocation, H. E. the Chancellor presiding, 5-30 p.m.

Wednesday, August 19.

University Senate, 1-0 p.m.

THE WILSONIAN ASSOCIATION

The first social gathering will be held to-day at 5-30 p.m. at Wilson College, when all past Wilsonians, are cordially invited.

HINDUSTAN TYRES LIMITED

Pandit Jawaharlal Nehru will perform the opening ceremony of the factory of the Hindustan Tyres Limited, at Lamington Road on Tuesday the 18th instant.

SCHOOL OF INDIAN MUSIC

The weekly public concert of the School of Indian Music will be held to-day (Saturday) in the school hall at 5-30 p.m.

"CHANGING WORLD SITUATION"

Under the auspices of the Seth H. G. Jain Students' Union, 148, Lamington Road, Bombay (near Tardeo Bridge) Mr. M. R. Masani will deliver a lecture on "The Changing World Situation" to-day (Saturday) at 8-30 p.m. The lecture is open to the public.

B. P. C. C. AND D. C. CS.' JOINT MEETING

The Joint Session of the B. P. C. C. and the members of all the Executive Councils of the District Committees in the Congress Province of Bombay under Article X of the constitution of the B. P. C. C. will be held to-day (Saturday) at 5 p.m. (S.T.) at the Congress House.

LAMINGTON ROAD SARVAJANIK GANESHOTSAVA MANDAL

The extraordinary general and annual general meetings of the Lamington Road Sarvajanik Ganeshotsava Mandal, will be held at Ramkrishna Building, Chunam Lane, to-day (Saturday) at 9-30 p.m. and to-morrow (Sunday) at 9-45 p.m.

AMUSEMENTS OF THE DAY

EXCELSIOR—"Secret Agent." Daily at 6-30 and 10 p.m. Matinee, to-day and to-morrow at 4 p.m.

REGAL—"Two's Company". Daily at 6-30 and 10 p.m. Matinee, to-day and to-morrow at 4 p.m.

ROXY—"Achhut Kanya". Daily at 5-15, 8 and 10-45 p.m. Matinee, to-day and to-morrow at 2-45 p.m.

CAPITOL—"Darkest Africa". Daily at 4, 6-30 and 10 p.m.

CENTRAL—"Fury". Dail. at 3-30, 6-30 and 10 p.m.

PATHE—"Sylvia Scarlett". Daily at 3-30, 6-30 and 10 p.m. To-morrow morning show at 10 a.m.

WEST END—"Parbhuka-Pyara". Daily at usual time.

GLOBE—"Sultana Chandbibi". Daily at 5-15, 8 and 10-45 p.m. Matinee, to-day and to-morrow at 2-45 p.m.

MINERVA—"Saed-e-Havas". Daily at 5-30, 8 and 10-30 p.m. Matinee, to-day and to-morrow at 2-30 p.m.

KRISHNA—"Amar Jyoti". Daily at 5-15, 8 and 10-45 p.m. Matinee, to-day and to-morrow at 2-30 p.m.

IMPERIAL—"Jivan Lata". Daily at 5-15, 8 and 10-30 p.m. Matinee, to-day and to-morrow at 2-45 p.m.

MAJESTIC—"Savkari Pash." Time as usual.

OPERA HOUSE—"The Story of Louis Pasteur". Daily at 3-30, 6-30 and 10 p.m.

ARYA SAMAJ

At the Matunga Arya Samaj Mandir, Pandit Laxmanrao Oghale will deliver a public lecture on "Arya Samaj and the Mission" to-day (Saturday).

R. I. B. A. FINAL EXAM.

The following students have passed the R. I. B. A. Final Examination (qualifying for candidature as Associate of the Royal Institute of British Architects A. R. I. B. A.), recently held by my Board:—Mr. J. B. Fernandes and Mr. J. D. Motafram.

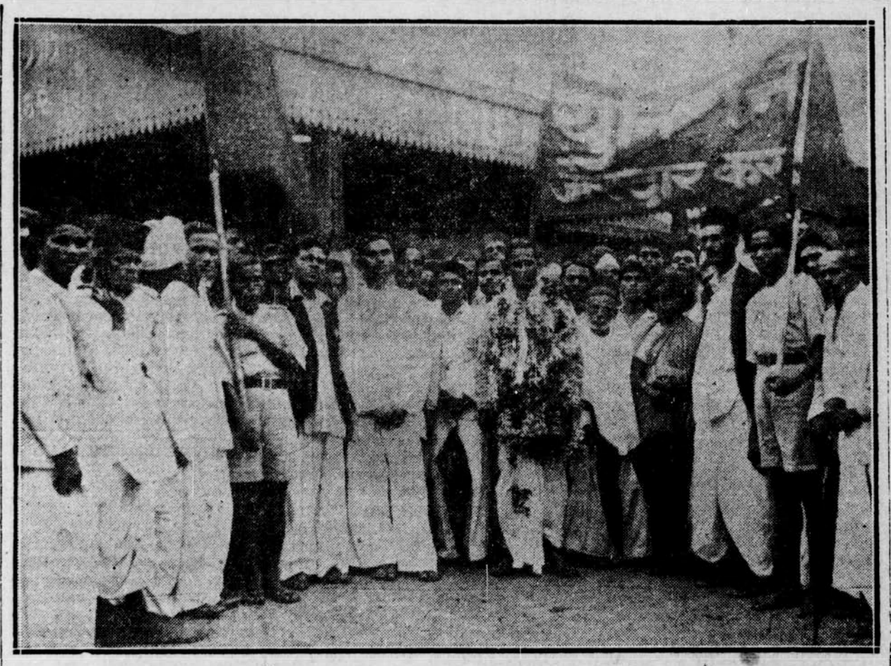
CLOTH PRINTERS' MEETING

Under the auspices of the Cloth Printers' Association, a general meeting of the Cloth Printers will be held to-day (Saturday) at 2 p.m. in Muzaffarabad Hall at Grant Road, Bombay. Mr. Haji Saleman Khatri will preside.

'E' WARD D. C. C.

The Joint Hon. Secretary of 'E' Ward District Congress Committee writes:—

The Provincial statuary rolls of voters for Bombay Legislative Assembly are now published and it is duty of every one who is eligible to be a voter to see that his or her name is duly entered in the roll. The copies of the statuary rolls are kept in our newly opened Office, Old Shivaji Hall, opposite Khatau Makanji Mills, Byculla. The residents of 'E' Ward are requested to come to our office and find out whether their names are on the rolls or not. The Office hours are from 8 to 10 in morning and 6 to 8 in evening.



Mr. R. S. Nimbkar, Labour leader, (garlanded) who was recently released from jail, arrived in Bombay on Thursday and was given a reception at Dadar by the labour population.

AFGHAN INDEPENDENCE

18th Anniversary Celebration

To celebrate the eighteenth anniversary of the Afghan Independence the Consul for Afghanistan, Mr. Abdur Rahman Khan gave a tea party at Cornaglia's on Friday, when a large number of prominent citizens of all communities responded to the invitation.

COMMERCE STUDENTS' ASSOCIATION

The monthly meeting of the Managing Committee of the Association will be held to-day (Saturday) at 2-15 p.m. (S.T.) sharp at the Elphinstone High School, Cruickshank Road, Bombay.

BOMBAY MATHEMATICAL COLLOQUIUM

A meeting of the Mathematics Colloquium open to the public will be held in the Royal Institute of Science Room No. 11 at 4 p.m. to-day (Saturday) when Prof. Mataprasad of the Royal Institute of Science will speak on "Crystallography."

STEAMER MOVEMENTS

The O S K steamer 'Shunko Maru' left Singapore on August 11 and is due to arrive in Bombay on August 24 via Penang and Colombo.

The O S K steamer 'Argun Maru' left Sakito on August 14 and is due to arrive in Bombay on September 8 via usual ports.

BHANGI DAY AT VILE PARLE

Under the auspices of the Vile Parle-Andheri Bhangis' Union, Bhangi Day will be celebrated on Sunday the 16th instant. A procession of Harijans and sympathisers will start from the Harijan quarters at 8 p.m. (S.T.) reaching Vile Parle Chhavni at about 9 p.m. A public meeting will be held at the Chhavni Building at 9 p.m. Messrs. Indulal Yajnik, Shantilal Shah, Purushottam Tricamdas will speak.

WHEN WARRANT IS ILLEGAL

Conviction For Obstructing Public Servant Quashed By High Court

The Chief Justice and Mr. Justice Wasoodev at the High Court set aside the conviction and sentence passed on Kesarmal Surajmal and two others.

It was alleged that the petitioners on the 24th July, resisted the search of the first petitioner's house, and on the charge of obstructing a public servant in the discharge of his duties they were convicted under section 186 of the Indian Penal Code and sentenced by a Second Class Magistrate to one day's simple imprisonment and a fine of Rs. 50.

The petitioners' appeal having been dismissed by the District Magistrate of Nasik they now applied to the High Court in revision.

Their Lordships accepted the petitioners' contention that as the search warrant did not contain material particulars, it was an illegal warrant and resistance to it could not be an offence under the law.

Mr. G. C. O'Gorman with Mr. B. G. Thakore appeared for the petitioners. Mr. B. G. Rao, Asst. Government Pleader appeared for the Crown.

OLD MAN KILLED BY CAR

BOMBAY, Friday.

Inquest was adjourned by the City Coroner on Jehangir Hormusji Bardi (70) who was stated to have been knocked down by motor-car W. 3490, yesterday, near Chira Bazzar. Mr. Jehangir died in the G. T. Hospital to-day.

ANJUMANE KHAWATEENE ISLAM

A gathering of the above Society was held on the 12th instant at Mrs. Zoheidah Khatoon Panchasi's residence. An interesting programme was arranged. The "Bait-Bazi" (game of poetry) was led by Atiya Begum and very quickly a lot of animation and intelligence was displayed by the members who responded to the intellectual pastime. The Secretary read the names of the new members and announced the future programme—After a little discussion it was decided to have a Ladies' Handwork Exhibition, a scene from the play "Malkhatoon" written by Zahra Begum and a fancy dress competition.

Mrs. Edroos announced that a farewell reception would be held in honour of H. H. the Begumsaheb of Janjira and Atiya Begum who are leaving for Europe. The hostess read a short essay on Art. The very pleasant evening broke up at a late hour.

TALK OF THE SUBURBS

(BY A SUBURBAN MAN)

I have many a time written on the milch cattle stables nuisance in the suburbs and I am glad that the Bandra Municipality is giving the lead in getting rid of it.

At a meeting of the General Board of the Bandra Municipality held on Thursday evening under the presidentship of Dr. P. A. Dias several questions were decided and the meeting considered and approved the recommendation of the Public Health Committee regarding several milch cattle stables within the Municipal limits.

KHAR MEETING

On Sunday at 9 a.m. the residents of Khar are to hold a meeting at Laxmi Co-operative Society's hall. The object of this meeting is to demand adequate representation for Khar on the Bandra-Municipal Board on which a reallotment of seats is contemplated. Some time back Santa Cruz held a meeting with a similar object.

FIRST A. I. COTTON FORECAST

The first All-India cotton forecast estimates for 1936-37 will be posted in the Marwari Bazar, the Cotton Exchange, Sewri, and in the office of the East India Cotton Association, Ltd., Taj Building, Hornby Road, Fort, at 2-36 p.m. (S.T.) on Monday the 17th instant.

SHRI SAHITYA

Under the auspices of the Gujarati Sahitya Parishad, Mr. B. B. Vyas will deliver a public lecture on "Gujarati literature during 1297-1600" at the Gujarati Institute of St. Xavier's College to-day (Saturday) at 5 p.m. (S.T.) Dewan Bahadur K. M. Jhaveri will preside.

SOCIAL WORKERS' TRAINING CLASS

The Social Workers' Training Class will meet to-day (Saturday) at the Social Service League's Head Office at the Servants of India Society's Home, Sandhurst Road, Girgaon. Two lectures will be delivered, the first by Dr. H. D. Khote on (Water, Air and Food and their Effects on Health) from 5 p.m. to 6 p.m., and the second by Prof. P. A. Wadia on (The Problem of Poverty) from 6 p.m. to 7 p.m.

BHANGI DAY AT PARLE

Under the auspices of the Vile Parle-Andheri Bhangis Union, Bhangi Day will be celebrated on Sunday August 16. A procession of Harijans and other sympathetic citizens will start from the Harijan quarters, Vile Parle at 8 p.m. (S.T.) reaching Vile Parle Chhavni at about 9 p.m. A public meeting will be held at the Chhavniwalla building at 9 p.m. when Messrs. Indulal Yajnik, Shantilal Shah and Purushottam Tricamdas will address.

Appropriate resolutions will also be adopted condemning the recent action of the Broach Municipality and of a Sanitary Inspector of Vile-Parle and generally to support the demands of their comrades toiling in other towns.

IN AND AROUND — BOMBAY —

(FROM OUR STAFF CORRESPONDENTS)

D Route Buses

The present system of running the B. E. S. T. buses on the D route especially after 9 p.m. requires considerable alterations. Buses running from Jacob Circle towards the Fort area carry the board, "Bori Bunder." As soon as the buses arrive at Bori Bunder, the board is changed to "Museum" or "Electric House," as the case may be and they resume running further south. The result is that passengers coming up from Girgaum are forced to purchase tickets upto Bori Bunder and then book after Bori Bunder. It is a manifest injustice to the passengers that they should be denied the benefits of booking long-distance tickets. It must also be noted that after 9 p.m. the D route bus runs over the shortest distance, and it is also the only suitable conveyance for passengers from the Girgaum side or farther beyond. This is unfair and the B. E. S. T. Company should set matters right immediately. There is the standing complaint that the bus fares in Bombay are the highest in any city in India. Any concession shown to the passengers will not in any way prejudice the interests of the Company.

Bombay's Water Supply

Several suggestions have been sent by various bodies to the Works Committee of the Bombay Municipal Corporation to increase the water supply of the City. One is to impound the water, which is spilled over the Tansa catchment, and to divert the flow of Vaitarna river. Another suggestion is to revive the Yeur-Ovla Valley scheme. But, of course, these schemes would be very costly. There is still another suggestion made by the Tata Hydro-Electric Power Supply Company. It is to pump water from the Ulhas river into the existing Tansa-Bombay Water mains by electrically driven pumps. The advantages of this scheme are that the Corporation would get an independent source of water supply. It could be put into operation at a short notice and the cost would be comparatively less than that of any other scheme put forward. Besides, the storage capacity of Andhra lake, which feeds the Ulhas River, through the Bhivpuri Power Station, is over three times that of Tansa and the average daily discharge of water from Andhra lake into Ulhas river is in excess of the entire water consumption in the city.

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TWO VETERANS BLUNDER

The hasty action of Mr. C. Rajagopalachari in resigning from all Congress Committees has brought to the front some important issues which need to be considered most carefully as they vitality affect the unity in the ranks of the Congress and the efficiency of its work in every field. It is necessary in doing so to review the circumstances that led to the resignation. Not to go too far back into the politics of the Tamil Nadu Provincial Congress Committee, the present trouble seems to have originated with the elections to the Trichinopoly Municipal Council. In his speech at the meeting of the Council which elected its President Dr. Rajan said that "he had all along been pleading that the Congress Committee as such should not take part in the election but should leave it to the good sense of the voters to choose whomsoever they liked independent of party labels." "That was because," he added, "he was aware of public feeling in Trichinopoly." Now, if it was a question of detail or of purely local interest in all probability the Tamil Nadu Congress Committee would have gladly followed the guidance of one who knew local conditions best, as indeed provincial Congress bodies should in all or most such cases of local interest. But here was a question of principle, whether or not the Congress Committee as such should contest municipal elections. The Committee rightly decided against him, and he himself wisely respected it so far as to sign the Congress election pledge as a Congress candidate in his own ward. It seems, however, that he much resented signing the pledge as he regarded it as "coercing him into doing a thing which he was not prepared to do." Probably his resentment had something to do with his later attitude in the Municipal Council.

The Proper Course

The next question was the election of the Chairman. This was a question more or less of detail, so long as the choice was confined to a Congressman in any case, and Dr. Rajan was right in suggesting to the Provincial Congress Committee that this question should be left for local adjustment. We do not know yet what was the decision of the Trichinopoly Congress Committee or of the local Congress Councillors elected. If the Provincial Congress Committee accepted the decision of one or both of these bodies in the nomination of the Chairman, its attitude is unexceptionable as having duly respected local opinion. If, on the contrary, the Provincial Committee over-rode the decision of both the bodies, it was, we believe, a very unwise thing to do. However, after its decision was once definitely arrived at, the proper court for any aggrieved Congressman was to appeal to higher Congress authorities. If he failed to obtain satisfaction from them and if he felt it necessary to disobey the Congress, he should before doing so resign from all such Congress positions as imposed upon him the obligation to obey the Congress mandate. This was particularly the duty of one who signed the election pledge before election and thereby accepted the authority of the body controlling the election. But Dr. Rajan followed neither of these courses. He remained in the Congress position which demanded loyalty and yet openly defied the Congress mandate and submitted the accredited Congress nominee—and through him the Congress organization as a whole—to the humiliation of a defeat in a body possessing a Congress majority. We cannot imagine any justification for such conduct. His great services and sacrifices are no doubt extenuating circumstances but not justification. We feel that he himself now recognizes his error, as only thus can we explain his resignation from all Congress bodies even before being called upon to do so.

Hasty Decision

Now to come to Mr. C. Rajagopalachari. We cannot imagine any need or justification for his precipitately resigning from practically all Congress bodies. He rightly pleads for better discipline and sense of responsibility and more loyalty in the Congress ranks. He would have better secured all this if, instead of suddenly abandoning positions of trust and responsibility, he had stuck to them in spite of the consequent worry and then helped in maintaining discipline and loyalty in the Congress. As it is, by throwing upon others the unpleasant responsibility of doing all this, he has done them and the Congress a disservice even if he has obtained some much-longed-for peace for himself. It is a travesty to call such a step Satyagraha. To lesser men positions of responsibility may be mere ornament or honour, giving up which is an act of self-sacrifice or Satyagraha. But for veterans like Rajaji, whom millions eagerly expect to assume soon the post of highest responsibility in the Congress, practically to boycott the Congress in a crisis is a sad disservice. If the epidemic of retirement becomes more common than it has already tended to become, Heaven help the Congress. We still hope both Dr. Rajan and Rajaji will recognise their respective errors and immediately devise an amicable settlement to prevent uglier developments.

In The Grip Of Distress

Whether in Gujarat or in any other part of the Bombay Presidency—with the exception of the Konkan—the one concern of the people to-day seems to be about the rain. Anxiously they turn the gaze skywards from morning till night, and even during the night, but they scan the heavens in vain for signs of rain. During the last three or four days the sky does not seem cloudy as it used to do, in the previous few weeks. The soil and the crops in it are, therfore, exposed to the scorching rays of the sun and it is only a matter of days before the plants dry up completely. Poor as are the peasantry of India, no section of the agricultural population is economically so indigent, so resourceless and yet so exploited as the Bhil or other aboriginal agriculturists. And unfortunately for the Bhil agriculturists of the Dohad tract the present failure of rains comes on the top of a succession of bad harvests, caused by hailstorms or frost, or scarcity of rains or untimely rains. The Bhil has no resources on which to fall back in times of distress, and even in normal seasons a large proportion of the rural population eke out their livelihood by resort to borrowing for maintenance for three or four months of the year. But what little of savings they possessed has all gone to meet the increased pressure of indebtedness with the fall in commodity prices that has worsened the lot of the primary producers in India during the last five years. Not only have they lost the surplus grain they might have been able to save when times were better, but they have lost their credit as well. To-day the very descendants of those Sowkars who mitigated the privation of the peasantry in the famine of 1900 are deserting the countryside for fear of depredation by Bhils from the forests who are unable to bear the pangs of hunger.

Depleted as are the stocks of grain, even more depleted are the reserves of fodder. In the middle of the rainy season the countryside looks barren of green grass and the cattle of which the Bhils keep large numbers stray here and there in search of fodder. In this tract itself, the source of grass supply, there is no fodder available, nor have any reserves of grass held by Government yet being made available to the people. A few days more without rain and the cattle will have to face death by starvation. Worse still is the condition in respect of water. Rainfall has been deficient in the past two seasons, and the tanks and river beds including the sources of minor irrigation works are all dry. The wells too are denuded of water, the best of them containing a scanty supply. Both human beings and cattle find it hard to get water to quench their thirst and cases of dysentery are known to have occurred because of the drinking of filthy water from stagnant pools. Those responsible for inaugurating measures of relief will experience the greatest difficulty in ensuring that the people and their cattle get enough water to drink. All sources of water supply, public or private, must be thrown open to all the rural population without any delay, care being taken to see that these sources themselves do not get polluted.

Prices have already begun to go up, the price of maize being 50 per cent higher than what it was only a week back. Inferior maize stored three seasons back is being sold in the bazaars, and is being greedily taken up by the Bhils who cannot afford to pay for last year's fresh stock. Grass is thrice as costly as it was a week ago, and unless immediate arrangements are made to control prices locally and to open cheap grain or fodder depots the scanty resources of the people cannot stand the strain of this profiteering. But as noted above, the resources are not there, because there is complete absence of auy demand for labour on the fields. The most pressing need is the provision of water for the people. That is the most insistent cry of the people who throng the highway and byways selling what little they can collect in fields and forests and also urging those they meet to procure work for them. That is the only heartening feature of the situation; though depressed beyond measure the Bhils have not lost their self-respect and become demoralized. But their spirit cannot be kept up unless they are provided with work out of the wages for which they may draw the barest of sustenance for themselves until benign nature comes to their succour, and a juster social system frees them from the bonds of economic serfdom.

FROM ACROSS THE SEAS

Gleanings From The World Press

(By Our London Correspondent.)

Mr. Kirkwood, the Clydeside Labour M.P. who refused to be honoured by the King has become a landowner. He has bought a house in Bearsden, one of the residential—and Conservative—districts near Glasgow.

The house stands in its own grounds. Mr. Kirkwood has been rallied by his friends about his choice of a district. Bearsden is the home of many of Glasgow's business men. Mr. Kirkwood will spend the greater part of his Parliamentary holiday in his shirt sleeves laying out his garden and doing repair work on his house. He is proud of being a skilled engineer, and has turned his hand to other crafts at his new home, including joinery and bricklaying.

Owner Of "Nahlin"

Lady Yule, one of the richest women in the world, has two hobbies in which she is particularly interested—horses and her yacht, Nahlin, in which the King is taking a cruise.

With all her vast wealth Lady Yule is a businesslike woman and does not throw money away needlessly; but in the case of Nahlin no expense has been spared. Miss Gladys Yule, who launched the yacht, is her mother's only daughter. She is a quiet, down-right, unaffected girl, who prefers the country to London, is a good rider to hounds, and has a practical knowledge of farming. For some years Lady Yule and her daughter have supported an institution, which they founded in the South of France, for the care of worn-out or ill-treated animals.

Instructions For British Olympic Athletes

Now that the peace of the Olympic Village has been disturbed by reports of "insubordination" on the part of the Uruguayan water polo team, we have been reading in England the instruction book issued to the British athletes.

Compiled by the British Olympic Association, it is, from the disciplinary point of view, disappointing. Instead of oaths of Olympic allegiance, one finds advice on labelling baggage, and the names of the ladies chaperoning the women's teams. British athletes, it is stated, sign no pledge to obey instructions. Things are left to their commonsense. The team managers, who number about 20, give their men instructions regarding training and "lights out" each day. No hard-and-fast regulations appear in the book. One section is devoted to tipping in restaurants.

Our European Letter

The Revolt In Spain

Its Genesis And Menacing Possibilities

(From Our Own Correspondent)

PRAGUE, August 6.
(By Air Mail.)

Political interest and attention at the moment in Europe is closely concentrated on the revolt in Spain. The Spanish revolt has broken out somewhat suddenly, though not quite unexpectedly, and remarkably quickly assumed extensive dimension. Internally the struggle is between the forces of cataleptic conservatism, feudalism, oligarchic privileges and clericalism on one side, and those of a wide popular will and democratic extension on the other. The greatly medieval ideology of the former, with its check on economic advance and social development, condemning in its trail vast sections to lives of great suffering and severe hardship, has led to sharp reactions in Spain.

German & Italian Support

The Azana Government that came to office in Madrid, in what may be termed the second and stronger wake of this reaction, has been trying to move along a line of measured and controlled advance especially in social and economic spheres to bring relief widely and ward off at the same time stormy upheavals. This course was resented by conservative forces steeped in a different outlook, though for the while they gave expression to an acceptance of the new regime. This acceptance, as often in history, however, was more apparent than real, and the cover it created was employed for preparations for an offensive behind screens. These preparations received an urge from apprehension about the Azana regime being led quite rapidly to a more radical turn, that came to be further strengthened by the development of forces in France that brought the Blum Government to office in Paris, and they also gained strong support from definite external sources. As it is, the reluctance of the conservative forces to accommodate themselves to tempered change really has been a very potential factor in extending the path to a more radical course, even as their present active antagonism is driving the Madrid regime rapidly to quite extremist directions.

German And Italian Support To Rebels

About foreign aid, it is generally recognized that especially Italian and German influences have stood behind the forces that have initiated the revolt against the Madrid regime, as indeed, Fascist Italian and Nazi German sympathies are being unmistakably expressed for the revolters. Rome and Berlin are led to this for considerations of security of their internal systems and of definite strategical calculations, more actively held, according to some reports, by Berlin. A change in administration in Spain now, that is, assuming the success of the forces opposing the present Madrid regime, with the new Government holding a definite pro-Nazi orientation, which Berlin is sparing neither demonstrative shows nor propagandist attentions to strengthen, will have extremely keen and enormously wide repercussions. Its reaction would be hardly favourable to the Blum Government in Paris. It would mean with Italy remaining an uncertain factor, French military forces having to be divided along three long fronts, a development not without significance as well closely so far as the Eastern European situation is concerned. Fundamentally it would strengthen the ideas of imperialism and colonialism. The chances of bigger conflicts in several directions would basically be extended rather than lessened.

Attitude Of Powers

There is as yet no definite knowing what the end of the revolt in Spain is going to be. There are strong factors operating on both sides. The strongest on the side of the Madrid Government being wide popular support and there are accounts of enthusiastic response from broad sections, men and women. But the rebel forces have the advantage of experienced and trained army officers, certain strategical bases, and especially of good support from some powerful foreign sources and also marked sympathy from conservative and imperialist groups in many centres. There is considerable comment about the attitude displayed by big foreign Powers in relation to the Madrid regime, which is the legally constituted Government, and the revolting forces, that has come specially to prominence in connection with the supply of arms and ammunition. In London the point of strict neutrality is underlined. Paris has also so far officially declared adhesion to this. There have appeared references of representation in the direction of such a course being made by London to Paris. In France, however, there is strong pressure for an alteration of the view, particularly with clearer indications of Italian aid to the rebels and support in some ways from Germany. Germany and Italy at the same time in a menacing way discountenance the idea of any foreign aid to the Madrid Government.

Seeds Of Conflict

The questions of neutrality and

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FRANKLY SPEAKING

THE TARIFF BOARD

After all the talk about the impending dissolution of the Tariff Board during the last few weeks it is interesting to learn from a Simla message that the Board is in for a number of important inquiries in the very near future and that it is already collecting materials about some of them. It is believed that the next inquiry will be about protection to sugar and that, though the present Sugar Protection Act expires in March 1938, the fresh inquiry will begin early next year as the ground to be covered is very wide. This is expected to be followed by inquiries in regard to magnesium chloride, wood pulp and paper, and raw silk and cotton textiles. When so many important inquiries are due shortly, an early dissolution of the Board is inconceivable. But it is possible that there will be some change in its constitution and the procedure for instituting any particular inquiry. Indeed, reform in this respect so as to make the Board more responsive to the needs of Indian industries has long been due and cannot be effected too soon.

INDIANS IN ZANZIBAR

The interview that our representative had with Mr. Biharilal Anantani, a leading Indian businessman in Zanzibar, on his arrival in India on Wednesday confirms the fear that the position of Indians in Zazibar, as indeed in East Africa in general, is sadly deteriorating despite all that the Government of India profess to have been doing to safeguard Indian interests. Mr. Anantani ascribes this to, among other things, the impossibility of the Indian settlers to make any direct representation either to the Colonial Office or the India Office, to the former on racial grounds and to the latter on tactical grounds. As for the Government of India, to whom the Indian settlers are referred, they have signally failed to safeguard Indian interests and Mr. Anantani ask them to publish the correspondence between them and the Colonial Office, evidently to know what they have done so far in this matter. Government will do nothing of the kind, and we doubt if they can do anything effective to vindicate Indians' rights till they are made wholly responsible to the Indian people.

EDUCATION OF MUSLIM GIRLS

Muslims in India, though still backward as compared with other communities, have made considerable progress in the education of boys during the last few years. They have, however, as a community, not yet realized the greatest defect of their educational movement which is also the main obstacle to their progress. And it is their failure to educate their women. The failure is the more deplorable in view of the fact that the Islamic code gives comparatively greater rights to women than any other code. The Anjuman-i-Islam and its new and energetic President, Mr. Osman Sobani, therefore, deserve to be congratulated on starting a Muslim girls' high school, the first of its kind in Bombay. We have no doubt the wealthy members of the community will give liberal support to this institution and see that increasing number of poor Muslim girls are encouraged, with scholarships, to obtain University education and are thus enabled to take their due share in the various nation-building activities of the country.

MUST NOT BE SHELVED

It is a pity that, after all the prolonged discussion in the Municipal Corporation on the report of the Law, Revenue and General Purposes Committee on malpractices at municipal elections, the whole question has been referred back to that very Committee. The object of many of those who voted for the motion to that effect was probably to shelve the question indefinitely. But it is too urgent a question to be so dealt with. Nor are the principal issues involved very controversial. Most of the amendments moved to the Committee's report referred to minor details. The Committee should now modify its report in the light of the discussion and submit a fresh report as early as possible. It is bad enough to have scandalous malpractices at elections; it is much worse for responsible councillors to sleep over the matter indefinitely.

Muslim Trusts

To The Editor of "The Chronicle"

Sir,—You will be doing a service to the Muslim community if you will please give a corner to the following in your esteemed paper.

You will agree with me, sir, that the mere passing of the Wakf Act does not necessarily mean accomplishment of the desired object. The Muslim public must be vigilant over the management of public trusts, and public-spirited enough to bring to light cases of irregularities, inconsistencies or high-handedness. The underlying principle of appointment of trustees for charitable and public bequests—as admitted by all—is that the trustees must not only be men in effluent circumstances but also men of independent disposition, impartial temperament and practical experience. Wherever this principle has been acted upon there has been a great boon to the community concerned.

The largest and most munificent Educational Trust in this Presidency is that of the late Mr. Dawood Fazul. It is not a trust for the benefit of one sect alone. It is a Trust for the benefit of the Mussulmans in general, not only of this Presidency, but also of the whole of India. It will be acknowledged by all that most of those who received benefits from the trust hold good positions in different vocations all over India. That the great donor should have appointed only two trustees for the management of such a large bequest as that of about rupees thirty lakhs left much to be desired, but so long as the control was in the hands of a public spirited man like the late Mr. Sheriff Dewjee Canjee, there was nothing to worry about, though some Muslims did express their concern over the matter.

I understand that the late Mr. Sheriff Dewjee Canjee appreciated the importance and necessity of having more men as trustees, and as if prompted by some natural instinct, just a few months before his death, got a scheme passed by the High Court, wherein the number of trustees was increased from two to five. After his death, about seven months back, it appears that the paid secretary of the Trust was elevated to the dignity and position of a trustee and no more trustees were appointed.

As it is a recognized principle that trustees do not take any benefit from the Trust, it is all the more impossible to conceive that one out of only two trustees should be recipient of remunera-

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WITHOUT COMMENT

"One of the most serious defects of our Army to-day is that our present tanks are not suited to take part in a war against a civilized enemy."
—"Evening Standard", (London).

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An adjournment of the Assembly will be moved to discuss "misuse of the powers and position by the Acting Governor of C.P. and Berar, Mr. E. Raghavendra Rao, in carrying an active propaganda for the ensuing elections to the Legislative Assembly during his tours in the province."

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We submit, however, that His Excellency did not for a moment "misuse" his powers. He used them quite in accordance with the spirit of the Constitution, and in keeping with the best traditions of such famous and distinguished Governors as Sir Malcolm Hailey.

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Mr. Jinnah, speaking at the Students' Conference, regretted "the lack of a common platform where the best minds of all communities could meet and try to solve the country's problems."

Maybe, that particular platform, too, has been missing Mr. Jinnah these many years.

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"War and annexation," says a Theosophist, "means assassination and theft."

But what is in a name? One may ask a la Shakespeare.

By whatever name one may call it, it sounds equally sweet to Mussolini and his brother jingoes.

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"I am not anti-Congress," declared Mr. S. A. Aziz, a Bihar Minister, recently in a speech, and added that it was only "the creed and activities of the Congress" from which he differed.

Shades of Chesterton!

The Congress, however, should be duly grateful to the Minister for thus honouring it. As for his difference about such trivial things as "the creed and activities of the Congress"—the Congress ought to be doubly grateful to him.

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The Congress, said the Minister magnanimously, was "not always in the wrong."

No. Sometimes it is in the jail, instead!

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At the reception held in honour of Sir Feroze Khan Noon, the new High Commissioner in London, poems were recited in his honour by Dewan Sharar.

Let's then have a new post created—Poet Laureate. At the Court of the High Commissioner for India.

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The students of a U. P. University, have resorted to a "stay-in strike" as a protest against the rustication of a confrere and have locked themselves in a hostel.

The next move being with the authorities, they ought to lay siege to the walls of the hostels and cut off the rations supply. Then the driest pedagogues should be encouraged to scale the walls and start lecturing through the ventilators and windows. If we know our professors and our students they would come out like a shot.

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"Looking at the Indian side chosen for the third Test at the Oval," says B. B. Minor, "one cannot help feeling that if there are no last minute changes we shall be simply courting defeat."

There would be hardly any need for courting. Defeat and our gallant captain seem to be united, already, in an unholy wedlock.

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"With Nissar palpably stale," continues the Minor one, "and C. S. Nayudu dropped—Heaven and the Maharajkumar alone know why—we just have not got the bowling to keep England's total down."

"Heaven and the Maharajkumar"! Is it an impudent attempt at indicating a contrast?

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For the amusement of our readers and the edification of Mr. Hamill, we reproduce here the first stanza of a poem that appears in "The Justice" of Madras:—

"Ye Congressmen that crocodile tears in plenty shed!
Have you a policy and a programme—cut and dry?
Ye, who by patriotic politicians are led!
Do you for the country's welfare sincerely try?"

Matric students are particularly advised to make a study of this poem. It might be the "menagerie lion" of the next year's question paper.

MORE ALLOWANCE FOR MENIAL STAFF

City-Fathers Accept Masani's Move For Increased Grant

After a heated debate of over two hours on Friday, it was decided by the Municipal Corporation to increase house rent allowance of the menials employed in the Bombay Municipality from Rs. 4 to Rs. 7 per month and also to give them certain travelling allowance.

It will be recalled that in February last the Standing Committee resolved to request the Municipal Commissioner on the advisability of granting Rs. 7 per month to the menials in the Municipal employ as rent allowance and a consolidated allowance for tram fare to such menials, who while occupying free quarters are obliged to reside beyond one mile of their place of work.

COMMISSIONER'S RECOMMENDATION

The Municipal Commissioner in his report stated:—

There are 750 employees eligible for house rent allowance, of whom 255 have availed themselves of free quarters while 495 have elected to draw the reduced allowance. If the suggestions contained in the Corporation Resolution were accepted, the extra cost involved under House Rent Allowance will be Rs. 1,485 per month or Rs. 17,820 per annum while that on account of tram fare will be Rs. 828-12 per month or Rs. 9,945 per annum taking average working days at 26 in a month and allowing two annas on account of tram fare per day. The total extra cost thus involved would amount to Rs. 27,765 per annum. If, however, railway season passes were issued in lieu of allowance for tram fare the cost on this account at about Rs. 1-8-0 per month per head and would come to Rs. 382-8-0 per month or Rs. 4,590 per annum against Rs. 9,945 shown above. The total extra cost in that case would amount to Rs. 22,410.

It is probable that if the proposals to increase the House Rent Allowance were approved, those who are now staying in the Trust Chawls would leave them in spite of the additional inducement of a free railway pass proposed now to be offered, in order to get the benefit of the increased house allowance, in which case the additional liability in respect of railway passes will have been assumed in vain. I would, therefore, request the Committee to weigh the full implications of the proposals before committing themselves to an increased liability on this score.

The Standing Committee did not think it desirable to increase the house rent allowance from Rs. 4 to Rs. 7 in case of menial staff who do not occupy free quarters provided for them. The Committee also recommended the issue of railway season tickets in case of those who travel over two miles every day.

Mr. Mohanlal M. Desai as Chairman of the Standing Committee moved the approval of the report.

Mr. K. F. Nariman said there were a number of chawls which required repairs and these should be attended to by the Municipal executive.

MASANI'S AMENDMENT

Mr. M. R. Masani moved that house rent allowance of Rs. 7 per month be paid to those members of the staff who do not occupy rent-free quarters provided for them and a consolidated allowance for tram fare be paid to those members of the staff, who, while occupying free quarters provided for them, are obliged to reside beyond one mile of their place of work, that in cases where use of railway would entail no hardship, railway season tickets be issued at Municipal cost in lieu of the consolidated allowance for tram fare.

Dr. J. N. Choksey seconded the amendment.

Mr. Meherally also supported the amendment.

Mr. K. H. Goregaoker also spoke.

Mr. A. P. Sabawala said that in 1912 house rent was granted at Re. 1-8 per month. In 1920 it was raised to Rs. 4 per month. In 1927 it was raised to Rs. 6 per month and in 1930 it was raised to Rs. 7 till 1933 when free accommodation was given to the menial staff in Improvement Trust chawls which cost the Municipality Rs. 30,000 a year. The Government at that time reduced the rent of the menial staff from Rs. 7 to Rs. 4 and the Municipality also reduced it to the same level in lieu of rent-free quarters. He would give his hearty support if a living wage was fixed at Rs. 30 per month but he challenged any body to show that the Municipality had treated its staff less generously than the Government.

FOREIGN CINEMA HOUSE

At this stage closure was moved and the question being put to vote Mr. Masani's amendment was agreed to.

Dr. P.G. Solanki then moved:—That the Corporation are of opinion that the intention of the Collector of Bombay to offer on 999 years' premium lease the Government plot of land admeasuring 3120 sq. yards at the junction of Dhobi Talao and 1st Marine Street for the construction of a cinema theatre is not in the best interests of the cinema trade of this City; that it is likely to be ruinous to the trade of other older theatres in the City; and therefore requests the Collector of Bombay to utilize the plot for some other public purpose, preferably that of a playground or a public garden.

Mr. Ali Bahadur Khan seconded the proposition.

Mr. K. F. Nariman wanted to know if the lease was granted and also whether the Commissioner of Police had granted the license. As this information was not forthcoming debate on this resolution was adjourned till Monday.

The Corporation then adjourned till Monday 2-30 p.m.

HOLD BACK RAILWAY 'AXE'

Giri To Move Adjournment Of Assembly Urging Inquiry

MADRAS, Aug. 13.

Mr. V. V. Giri, M.L.A., has given notice of the following resolution to be moved at the ensuing session of the Assembly in view of the serious discontent among railwaymen:—

"This Assembly recommends to the Governor-General-in-Council to be pleased to order the stoppage of further staff retrenchments and operation of new scales of pay on all the State-owned Railways and to appoint a Court of Inquiry to go into all issues raised by the All-India Railwaymen's Federation before the Railway Board in this connection, in order to remove the feeling of discontent among the thousands of railway workers concerned."—United Press.

ROVER'S CUP FOOTBALL

K.S.L.I. Beat Durhams 'B'

In a well-contested and interesting game the K. S. L. I. from Kamptee defeated the second string of the Durhams by one goal to nil, on Friday evening, and thus entered the third round of the tournament, where they meet the winners of the 'Afghan Football Club" and "Durhams 'C'."

A tremendous pace was set up from the start, which was maintained to the end, and the play was seldom confined to either area for prolonged periods, during the first part of the game. After the interval, however, the Durhams were penned in their own area for the best part of thirty minutes.

From the kick-off, the Shropshires went away in great style and for a time were on the offensive; but could not get within shooting distance. After about five minutes play, the Durham's goal underwent two narrow escapes in succession. Then the play was transferred to the opposite area, but the Shropshires defence was too good for the opposing forward line, and the ball was soon back in the other half. Then a fine attack led by Derrick saw Savoury save at the expense of a corner. The danger was however cleared and in the next minute Fenwick, by a solo effort, took the ball as far as the opponents' penalty area and then had a shot; but kicked on the wrong side of the posts. Once again the Shropshires got going and thirty seconds before the interval scored through Dunn, who placed the ball completely out of Savoury's reach.

When play was resumed, the Shropshires at once took up the attack and were unfortunate in not getting a second goal. Even the play ruled for the next few minutes, then the Durham's goal had a narrow escape. In the next minute, a fine run by Hale and a neat pass to Dunn saw that player head over the cross bar. Once again the Durham's goal would have fallen, when Savoury, after overting a save, the ball was slowly travelling in the direction of the goal; but Pearson was able to kick the ball out.

SAVOURY OUTSTANDING

Savoury was the outstanding player on the field, and if it was not for his fine display the Shropshires would have won by a much bigger margin. Once it seemed that Savoury was alone opposed to the Shropshires. Fifteen minutes before the end there was a melee in front of the Shropshires goal, but Childlow was able to clear, after three opponents were on top of him for at least 5 seconds. For the rest of the fifteen minutes the Shropshires were on the offensive but could not score, and the end arrived with the Shropshires winning by 1 goal.

RESULT

K. S. L. I. .. 1 goal
Durhams 'B' .. Nil

THE TEAMS:

K. S. L. I.:—Chidlow, Weston and Round; Powell, Friday and Scott, Hale, Cooper, Derrick, Dunn and Stacey.

Durhams 'B':—Savoury, Barton and Pearson; Forbes; Hand and Spencer; Hamilton, Scurfield, Fenwick, Walmsby and Baines.

Referee:—Hibbert.

To-day's Game

Bangalore Muslims v. Transit Section at 5-45 p.m.

Leslie Running Cup

In the Leslie Running Cup the Bombay Gymkhana beat the R. A. Colaba by 9 points to 6.

Murree of the former finished in 13-2|5 seconds.

Spanish Government's military lorries on the way from Barcelona to Saragossa to fight the rebels.

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AMBEDKAR'S NEW MOVE

"Independent" Labour Party To Be Started On Non-Communal Lines

The "Bombay Chronicle" understands that a new Party, under the name of "Independent Labour Party" is being started in Bombay, with a view to contest the forth-coming elections to the Bombay Legislative Assembly and the Bombay Legislative Council (Upper Chamber) under the new reforms.

It appears that Dr. B. R. Ambedkar, the Depressed Classes leader, is mainly responsible for the move.

The necleus of the Party, it is expected, will be the 15 representatives, in the legislatures, of the Scheduled Castes. This calculation is, of course, based on the assumption that all the 15 seats will be captured by the nominees of Dr. Ambedkar.

It is claimed that the Party is being started at the instance of several members belonging to castes other than the Scheduled Castes, who expressed their view that Dr. Ambedkar should broaden the basis of the Party. Hence the new Party will consist of members of all castes and communities.

The justification for the organisation of the new Party, it is claimed, is that a large number among the Scheduled Castes belong to the working class and it is considered that if any party were to be organised, it should be manifestly in their interests. This aspect is expected to enlarge the basis of the party so that it may not become communal organisation.

ITS OBJECTS

The organisers of the Party believe in the principle of state-ownership and state-management of the key industries. The Party will strive to solve the question of unemployment by means of legislation, aims at the betterment of industrial workers and agriculturists and will insist on a minimum wage in the case of the former.

Of course, the organisers express dissatisfaction with the new Constitution and are of the view that further attempts should be made for its improvement.

KING GEORGE MEMORIAL FUND

CALCUTTA, Aug. 14.

The total contributions to the George V. Memorial Fund, Bengal, amount to Rs. 1,94,681 and odd up-to-date.—United Press.

TASK BEFORE LINLITHGOW

Next Six Months Bringing In Autonomy Will Prove Anxious Time, Says "M. G."

LONDON, Aug. 14.

After remarking that India is momentarily quiet and that Lord Linlithgow has been more fortunate in the first 2 months of his Viceroyalty than his two predecessors in having politically a fairly easy row to hoe, the "Manchester Guardian" says, that "that fact does not mean that plenty may be stirring under the surface.

NEW ORDER

With the advent of Provincial Autonomy early next year the old India of centralised, quasi-despotism begins to go for good. Nobody knows precisely what will be the manner of its going. Some predict trouble; others opine that the self-Government experiment can be got going more smoothly than anticipated. The setting of the political stage is, therefore, interesting to watch. To-day India has still time for manoeuvring and bargaining and a whole set of new political alignments may be expected.

ANXIOUS TIME.

Certainly the first six months of the next year will be an anxious time for both India and Britain but at all events changes should bring interest of controversy to new political life and chance of finish of sterile negations in which Indian statesmanship has too long been plunged.—Reuter.

SEDITION CHARGE AGAINST CHANDU BIBI

Sequel To Calcutta Speech In May Last

CALCUTTA, Aug. 14.

Charge under Section 124-A I.P.C. was framed against Mrs. Chandu Bibi, President of the Delhi Workers' League, for making a seditious speech at Calcutta on May 11, to which she pleaded not guilty.—United Press.

HOPE OF REDUCED TAXATION IN U. S.

WASHINGTON, August 14.

The hope of reduced taxation is held out by Mr. Henry Morgenthau, Secretary of the Treasury. After the Tax Conference at White House Mr. Morgenthau stated that improved American business conditions may make possible a slight reduction in taxes in 1937.

Financial leaders of the Congress attending the conference at the invitation of President Roosevelt declared that no new taxes would be recommended at the next session.—Reuter.

Mullaji Saheb Sued For Defamation

Complainant Alleges He Was Excommunicated And Held Up For Vilification

The case in which Tyebhai Moosaji Koicha alias Mandvivala charged His Holiness Sardar Syedina Taher Saifuddin Saheb bin Mahomed Buhranuddin Saheb, Mullaji Saheb of Dawoodi Bohra community, with defamation, came up for hearing before Sir H. P. Dastur, Chief Presidency Magistrate, Bombay, on Friday.

The complainant stated that he was the Secretary of the Dawoodi Bohra Wakfs and Trust Welfare Association. He alleged that for several years past he had been the victim of the disfavour and anger of the Mullaji Saheb who, for a considerable time past, had adopted towards him a course of conduct designed to cause him harm and humiliation.

"OBJECT OF VILIFICATION."

The complainant further stated that the passing of the Mussalman Wakf Act in 1923 and the vigorous agitation which followed it to make its provisions applicable to all Dawoodi Bohra charities gave the Mullaji Saheb an additional cause for provocation. The Association of which the complainant was the Secretary carried on a ceaseless campaign both in the Press and otherwise urging the expediency of bringing the religious trust funds of the community within the beneficent operation of the Act.

"The Mullaji Saheb and his henchmen," alleged the complainant, "carried on a violent counter propaganda and as a warm protagonist of the reforming party I became, in a marked manner, an object for vilification and abuse. The Act was made applicable to all Dawoodi Bohra Charities on 16th October, 1931. Towards the end of 1933 Mr. Syed Munawar gave notice of his intention to introduce an amended Bill making provision for more effective supervision of Wakfs. My Association lost no time in expressing its views and warmly gave its support to the proposed amended Bill."

"DEFAMED BEHIND MY BACK."

After referring to the correspondence between him and the Mullaji Saheb, the complainant added: "I was told that His Holiness was compelled to deem that I was not a follower of His Holiness and that as I did not recognise the fundamental principles and tenets of the Dawoodi Bohra religion I was bluntly told that I was ex-communicated."

Complainant further stated: "I have been defamed behind my back without a charge being framed against me. No formal enquiry was held. His Holiness has not even condescended to communicate to me the nature of the reports (about the complainant) he has received. I say with great respect that His Holiness has grossly defamed me by making and promulgating the order of alleged ex-communication, and that he has caused the defamatory order to be broadcast with the deliberate object of gratifying the feelings of enmity which he has been harbouring against me for a considerable time past."

Under these circumstances, he charged the Mullaji Saheb as above and prayed that the Mullaji Saheb might be dealt with according to law.

EXEMPTION WITHDRAWN.

On Friday the complainant tendered evidence in the course of which he referred to the agitation in the Dawoodi Bohra community over the application of the Wakf Act. Since the time of the enactment of the Act, witness stated, the Mullaji Saheb and his supporters were not in favour of applying the provisions of the Act to the Dawoodi Bohra community. The Dawoodi Bohra community was exempted from the operation of the Act for 3 years. After the expiry of this period a committee was appointed by the Government and this Committee recommended that the provisions of the Wakf Act should be applied to the Dawoodi Bohra charities. In 1931, exemption from operation of the Act, was withdrawn by the Government. Thereafter a Bill was sought to be introduced in the Legislative Assembly for the exemption of the Dawoodi Bohra community.

Witness stated that he made representations to the Governor-General that leave for the introduction of the Bill in legislature should not be granted. Leave was subsequently refused by the Governor-General. After that, a resolution was moved in the Bombay Legislative Council recommending to the Government that the Dawoodi Bohra community should be exempted from the operation of the Act, but the resolution was defeated.

MULLAJI'S MEMORIAL

Continuing witness said that the Mullaji Saheb approached the Joint Parliamentary Committee and submitted a memorial to them in this respect, but the Joint Parliamentary Committee refused to intervene in the matter which, they held, was in the province of the Government of India. At the end of 1933 Mr. Syed Munawar brought a Bill in the local legislature for "tightening" up the provisions of the Act, but the agitation was started again and it was opposed. Subsequently the Government introduced the Bill which was passed in September, 1935.

Following correspondence, witness was ex-communicated and the proclamation was made at the Noor Masjid, Bhendy Bazar, by Mahomed Hussein Wazir Bux, the 'Khadim' of the Mosque.

Counsel for the complainant then proceeded to read extracts from the revision petition filed by the Mullaji Saheb, on the order of the Chief Presidency Magistrate issuing summons against the Mullaji Saheb. The revision petition was rejected by the High Court.

The case at this stage was adjourned to September 16.

Mr. Philip N. Godinho and Mr. Franklin D'Souza, instructed by Messrs. Wadia Ghandy appeared for the complainant. Mr. S. G. Velinker and Mr. C. N. Kanuga appeared on behalf of the Mullaji Saheb.

OLYMPIC ROWING

Germany's Victories

(SPECIAL CABLE)

BERLIN, August 14.

Following are the results of the Olympic rowing:

Schaeffer (Germany) won single sculls.

Germany also won coxswainless pairs and coxswained pairs, coxswainless fours and coxswained fours.

Beresford and Southwood (Britain) won double sculls, Germany being second. Britain, represented by the London Rowing Club, second coxswainless fours.

America won eights, Italy second and Germany third. Britain represented by Leander, was fourth.

WILL JESSE OWENS TURN 'PROFESSIONAL'?

Offer Of 10 Weeks' Tour Contract For U. S.

BERLIN, Aug. 14.

Jesse Owens, the American Negro, triple Olympic champion is likely to accept the offer of £500 weekly for ten weeks to tour the United States as a professional. Owens states he will only relinquish amateur status in order to become a film actor. He is now considering offers and is likely to decide after to-morrow's British Empire versus United States Athletic meeting.

Owens has still another year at Ohio University but he is willing to end his studies immediately to assume a film career.—Reuter.

INSTRUMENT OF ACCESSION

Draft Containing 1,120 Words To Be Released To-day

SIMLA, Aug. 14.

The draft of the Instrument of Accession which contains about 1,120 words, it is understood, will be released to-morrow for publication.—United Press.

CHANGES AMONG TEST PLAYERS

LONDON, Aug. 14.

Robins was withdrawn from the Test and Fagg is doubtful.—Reuter.

Later

LONDON, Aug. 14.

Fagg is playing in the test.—Reuter.

Back Stroke Swimming

BERLIN, Aug. 14.

Olympic swimming men's hundred metres backstroke final:—

Kiefer (United States) one minute 5 9/10 seconds, Olympic record.

Vanderweghe (United States) one minute 7 7/10 seconds.

Kayokawa (Japan) one minute 8 4/10 seconds.—Reuter.

PRAJAMANDAL DISPUTE

Committee Meeting On Sunday

(From Our Correspondent).

BARODA, Aug. 13.

The All-Baroda Prajamandal Committee meets at Baroda on 16th August to discuss the final conclusions that have been arrived at the recent meeting of the Prajamandal workers with the State authorities.

IN GRIP OF FAMINE.

Baroda seems to be in the grip of famine. In Baroda, Amreli and Mehsana districts crops are drying because of scarcity of rainfall. The farmers are much aggrieved and are preparing details to represent their cases to the Government of Baroda. If such conditions continue, the Government is expected to provide adequate relief to the peasants, looking to the liberal policy adopted by His Highness in the past when the Government granted remissions and suspensions to the tune of 75 lakhs rupees in all.

HEBRON MAYOR MURDERED

Concerted Arab Attack On Jewish Quarter In Safad

JERUSALEM, Aug. 14.

Palestine experienced a night outrage. Mr. Nasser Nasri, Mayor of Hebron, was murdered by an unknown assailant. The Jewish watchman of the village of Plainsharon died of wounds inflicted by a sniper. A Jewish family including three children was practically wiped out by Arabs who concertedly attacked the Jewish quarter in Safad with bombs and rifles.—Reuter.

SABOTAGE IN PALESTINE

JERUSALEM, Aug. 13.

The 708th case of sabotage on Palestine railways since the disturbance began occurred to-day when another train was derailed.

It is believed that there were eight casualties, all from direct hits, inflicted when R.A.F. aircraft bombed armed bands who attacked troops east of Nablus.

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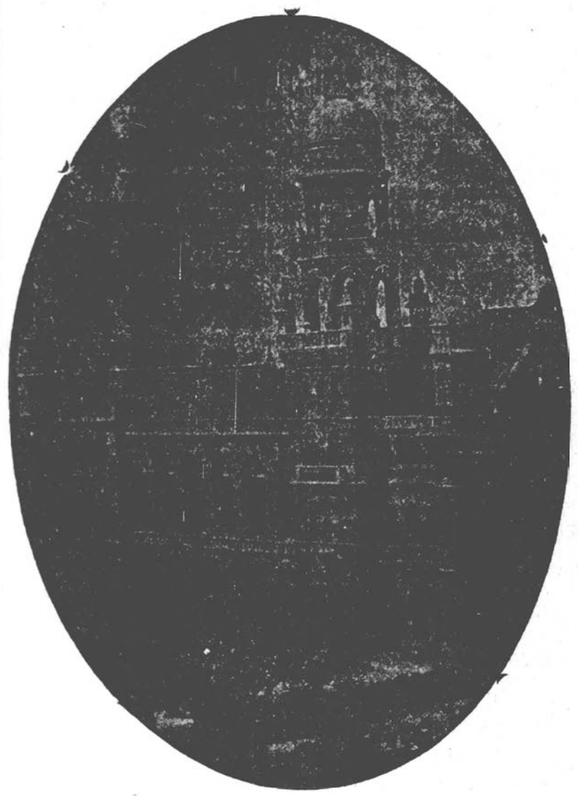

Main Building of Anjuman-e-Islam High School, Bombay.

HIGH SCHOOL FOR MUSLIM GIRLS

Over 1,000 Women Attend Opening Function At Kaiser Baug

About a thousand Muslim women were present at the Kaisar-Baug, Dongri, Bombay on Friday afternoon, when a High School for Muslim girls, the first of its kind in the city, was declared open by Mrs. Shufi Tyebji, amidst scenes of great enthusiasm. A large number of 'Purdah' women were present.

The High School will be conducted by the Anjuman-i-Islam.

The proceedings commenced with recitations from the Qoran.

Mrs. Omar Sobhani, in welcoming the guests, expressed the hope that the enthusiasm evinced by the gathering would be sustained in the future and greater number of women would co-operate in conducting the institution successfully. The Anjuman-i-Islam, she said, took the first step towards providing proper facilities for the education of Muslim girls, when in 1923 it took over the management of the Sobhani Primary School. This School was this year entrusted to the management of the Bombay Corporation Schools Committee.

CO-OPERATE IN WORK.

In order to provide higher education among the Muslim girls, the Anjuman-i-Islam decided to start the High School which, she hoped, would be found useful for the Muslim girls many of whom aspired to attain greater knowledge.

Mrs. I. S. Haji, proposing Mrs. Shufi Tyebji to the chair, exhorted the Muslim women of Bombay to take greater interest in the education of the Muslim girls. They should become members of the Anjuman-i-Islam and should cooperate with the Committee to supervise the working of the institution.

Mrs. Maniar seconded the proposal.

Mrs. Shufi Tyebji declaring the High School open gave a brief account of the activities of the Anjuman-i-Islam and the work it had done towards educating the Muslim girls in Bombay.

Every year about 100 students passed out of the Municipal Schools (Muslim girls) and it was her wish that they should all join the High School now started under the auspices of the Anjuman and opened on that day by her and get the benefit of the higher education which would open them fresh avenues of life.

The education imparted in the school would bring the Muslim womanhood on a par with other communities

FUTURE HOPE OF NATION.

Mrs. Sarojini Naidu in an eloquent speech pointed out that it was essential that the education of the girls should be well looked after as the future hope of the nation lay in them.

Mrs. Sarojini Naidu said that Muslim women were backward in regard to education compared to other sections of womanhood in India and as long as they stood in that position, one section lagging behind the other, to achieve Swaraj was an impossibility and any true advance was barred. She was glad that the Anjuman had pioneered in this important direction and there was a hope of a good future.

The Prophet held womanhood on a high pedestal but his example was not followed in this direction. But now she hoped an attempt would be made in the right direction to carry the Muslim womanhood forward in civilization.

Old customs should vanish as mist before sun in the light of a liberal education and she hoped the 'purdah' and many other backward customs would vanish in course of time and education.

A large number of Municipal School teachers and Municipal Girl Guides were present at the gathering.

On the motion of Mrs. Sayani seconded by Mrs. Indre the meeting passed a vote of thanks to the Chair and Mrs. Naidu.

The Kaiser-Baug was founded by a Khoja lady and it was appropriate that the first function to be held in the Baug was the meeting of Muslim women in the city, where a High School for Muslim girls was declared open.

A SOUND ADVICE TO
DIABETES SUFFERERS!!!

of the numerous patients cured under his treatment:—Mr. K. Sreenivasa Rao, c/o The Merchant Steam Navigation Co., Bombay No. 9, writes on 19-2-1936:—"This is to certify that I was under the treatment of Dr. S. R. IYENGAR for my Diabetes disease for a course of 40 days. After many trials without success I tried this Doctor whose medicines worked marvellously. The S. P. G. which was 1031 and Sugar 3.75 per cent at the beginning came down gradually and at the end they were "1013" and "Nil" respectively."

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Mr. Osman Sobani, has been elected chairman of the Anjuman-e-Islam, Bombay, which has just established a Muslim Girls' High School, the first institution of its kind in Bombay.

BAN ON FRONTIER GANDHI MUST GO

Civil Liberties Union Urged To Fix A. I. Protest Day

LAHORE, Aug. 12.

A well-attended public meeting was held here to protest against the restrictions on Khan Abdul Gaffar Khan, the Frontier leader, under the presidency of Malik Akbar Ali Khan.

It was recommended to the Provincial Parliamentary Board to move the All-India Civil Liberties Union to fix an All-India day of protest in this connection.

Speeches were made by Mazare Mian Sahib of Charsada, Haji Mahomed Aslam Khan and Sheikh Ghulam Sarwar Sahib in which reference was made also to the repressive policy of the Frontier Government which has commenced since the inauguration of the Congress election campaign.—United Press.

RAJBHOJ REPLIES TO DR. AMBEDKAR

Poona Pact Benefits Not For Runaways From Hinduism

POONA

"The Poona Pact does not make any provision for converts from Hinduism, and even if some of the Harijan community embraced Sikhism or any other religion in a body, it is not within the power of the Poona Pact signatories to retain for those converts any of the advantages secured under it," says Mr. P. N. Rajbhoj, Harijan leader and Secretary of the All-India Depressed Classes League, in a statement on Dr. Moonje's plan. Mr. Rajbhoj adds that the Poona Pact was specially intended to give the utmost concession to the members of the depressed classes, so that they remained an integral part of the Hindu fold. There was no question of applying it to those that left or were leaving the Hindu fold.

Dr. Ambedkar never once raised the question of conversion at the time of the Pact. I think the cry is now raised to secure more concessions says he.

LOGICAL ABSURDITY

Proceeding, Mr. Rajbhoj asks if new converts from Hinduism are to be given the benefits derived under the Poona Pact why not the old converts who may for political, if not religious, reasons want them? He says that there are large numbers of depressed classes who have embraced other faiths, but have not been able to throw off the disabilities attached to the Harijan Community, and mentions the case of the Christians in some parts of Madras. Why should concessions and benefits obtained by those who laboured under disadvantages and difficulties be given to those who did not want those disadvantages, but only the benefits of the labours of others.

The Poona Leader adds, "the formula is a vicious formula and will lead to more complications and endless trouble. It should not be accepted by the Hindus or by any body. We are Hindus or not Hindus. If we elect to remain within the Hindu fold, we are entitled to our rights and privileges as Hindus, and once we leave the fold, we can have no claim."

Refuting the statement that the Hindus have not made any sacrifice by accepting the Poona Pact, Mr. Rajbhoj says that instead of the 71 seats given to the Depressed Classes under the Communal Award, the pact gave them 148 seats. Concluding Mr. Rajbhoj asserts that the conversion idea has no universal appeal among the Harijan community. Even in Maharashtra only the Mahars favoured such a view, but the Chamars were solidly opposed to any conversion. There was no support to the idea in other provinces and he was surprised how the Hindu leaders were inveigled into it.—A.P.

"HANS" TO CEASE PUBLICATION

"Bharatiya Sahitya" To Take Its Place

BOMBAY, Aug. 14.

Apropos of the order of the Government of the United Provinces requiring the "Hans" magazine published at Benares to deposit a security in the sum of Rs. 1,000 for publishing a drama written by Sjt. Govind Das, the Director of the Hans Limited who own the paper have decided not to publish the magazine hereafter.

In view of the above decision, the Bharatiya Sahitya Parishad will now issue a new magazine named "Bharatiya Sahitya" as the "mouth-piece of Indian literatures". The magazine will be managed and published by the Sasta Sahitya Mandal, Delhi, and will be edited by Messrs. Premchand, Kakasaheb Kalelkar and Mr. Kanaialal Munshi.—United Press.

Eighteen Months' Jail In Arms Act Case

COMILLA, Aug. 14.

Nitya Gopal, a youngman of Shamgram village of this district, has been sentenced to 18 months' rigorous imprisonment by the Sessions Judge under the Arms Act for being in possession of an unlicensed gun.—United Press.

Mr. K. Shridharani

Mr. Krishnalal Shridharani, recipient of the Visva-Bharati diploma in March, 1935, and a well-known writer in Gujerati has received this June his Master of Science degree from the Pulitzer School of Journalism at Columbia University, New York.

Previously he had earned his Master of Arts degree from New York University with sociology as his major subject. He is now working toward Ph.D. in sociology at Columbia University.

BEGUM ANSARI'S GIFT TO UNIVERSITY

The Late Doctor's Books For Jamia Library

DELHI (By Mail).

The philanthropic work which the late Dr. Ansari carried on throughout his life is being continued by his worthy heirs.

Dr. Ansari had a precious collection of books on literature and sociology. They have now been handed over by Begum Ansari as a gift to the Library of the Jamia Millia (National Muslim University) of Delhi.

The collection reveals the late Doctor's catholicity of taste and his liberal outlook. A study of the books left by him is sure to develop in the reader the same ideals and aspirations which guided Dr. Ansari in his life.

Tribute To Late Sir Vithaldas Thackersey

SURAT, Aug. 13.

A meeting of the Students and staff of the Mahila Vidyalaya Mandal Girls' High School, Surat, was held on Wednesday, the anniversary of the death of Sir Vithaldas Thackersey when Mrs. Chaturlaxmi Joshi, the Principal presided. The principal speakers were Dr. Karsukh Hora and Mr. Maganlal K. Desai. Dr. Karsukh Hora paid a tribute to the memory of the deceased in glowing terms, dwelling on his magnanimous heart and his keen interest in the education of women, the result of which was, the founding of the S. N. D. T. I. Women's University with the aid of Prof. Karve.

Mr. Maganlal K. Desai gave a brief sketch of the life and work of Sir Vithaldas and recalled the services rendered by him to his country.

The Principal then thanked Dr. Hora and Mr. Desai and after a short suitable prayer, the meeting was dissolved.

JOHNS MILLS STRIKE

Authorities "No" To Demand Of Workers

AGRA, Aug. 14.

The strike at Johns Mills continues. The Local Congress is interesting itself in the strike. Meetings, demonstrations and processions have been organised. Serious repurcussions are feared owing to the Congress interventon. The Congress Committee demand wages to workers during the period of strike; no striker to be dismissed; and a specified time in which operatives to get an increase in wages.

The Mill authorities state that owing to the crisis in the Textile Industry and particularly in their mills, an increase is not possible; that dismissal of or an undertaking from ring-leaders responsible for the present "impasse" is necssary. The demand of wages for the strike period is also not favoured.—A. P.

TRIPURA RULER MEETS HITLER

AGARTALA, Aug. 14.

Information has been received here by airmail to the effect that the Maharaja of Tripura was received by Herr Hitler at his Berlin residence on August 5 when His Highness had 20 minutes' interview with the German Chancellor.

His Highness was also presented with a military Guard of Honour and other customary etiquettes at the Chancellor's place.—United Press.

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The Verdict of Experiment (See "The Medical Officer," 30.3.35).

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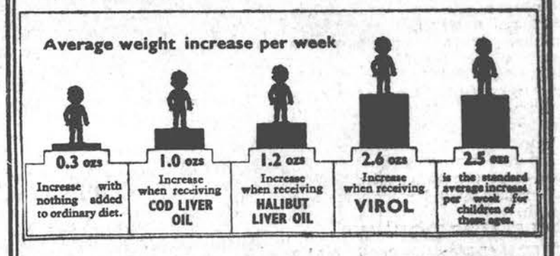
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FILM FARE FOR THE WEEK

"Fury" American Mob Rule At Central—"Story Of Louis Pasteur" Retained At Opera—"Sylvia Scarlet" At Pathe—"On Secret Service" At Excelsior—"Darkest Africa" At Capitol—"Tw o's Company" At Regal

Katherine Hepburn In "Sylvia Scarlett" at Pathe this week

"Fury" with Spencer Tracy and Sylvia Sydney at the Central this week.

Paul Muni's "Story of Louis Pasteur" stays second week at the Opera.

INFURIATED MOB ATTACKS A PRISON!

Riot Scene Of "Fury" Thrilling In Its Realism At The Central

Armed with clubs, rocks and other weapons, an infuriated mob of hundreds—men, women and children—rioted recently within the walls of the big studio of Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer. The riot was deliberately arranged by studio chiefs, as the melodramatic peak of the new M-G-M picture, "Fury," co-starring Sylvia Sidney and Spencer Tracy, and opening tonight at the Central Theatre.

A battery of cameras recorded the exciting scene which was climaxed when the mob set fire to a prison in which a kidnap suspect was being guarded, and burned it to the ground!

Doors and walls were smashed, furniture broken and scattered, and every object of value in the prison was destroyed when Director Fritz Lang gave the command for the beginning of the realistic attack.

Observers who witnessed the sequence pronounced it one of the most vivid examples of mass action ever filmed in Hollywood. The army of extra players began the scenes after two days of painstaking rehearsals, and when finally given the word to "cut loose," no punches were pulled!

A three-story prison, complete in every detail, was constructed for the attack. Surrounding the building, as authentic background, were two streets lined with typical small-town business structures. A large park occupied the square in front of the prison.

Innumerable small directorial touches lent an air of veri-similitude to the entire three-acre set, automobiles, trucks and even a large passenger bus moved through the streets; smoke drifted from the restaurant's kitchen chimney; hotel guests stared uneasily from windows and a second-floor balcony.

A strong cast of principals appears in this Joseph Mankiewicz production, with important roles played by Walter Abel, Bruce Cabot, Edward Ellis, Walter Brennan, George Walcott and Frank Albertson.

The picture, scenarized by Fritz Lang and Bartlett Cormack, from an original story by Norman Krasna, is a powerful narrative of lawlessness in America and its tragic effect on the lives of innocent citizens.

"SYLVIA SCARLETT"

At Pathe

Brilliant addition to the royal line of Katherine Hepburn screen hits, "Sylvia Scarlett", now showing at the Pathe Theatre, ventures into delightful new realms to achieve superb entertainment.

Next to the superlative characterization of Miss Hepburn, the chief charm of this RKO Radio Picture is its complete departure from cut and dried conventions. It is as though a declaration of independence from formulas had been declared, to allow Director George Cukor and his cast to strike joyously along the free highway of adventure and romance.

Miss Hepburn emerges from the sternest acting test of her career with new laurels. Required to masquerade as a boy through the major part of the story, she is also called upon to run the gamut of human emotions. Her portrayal of the colorful and difficult title role is perfection itself.

Extraordinary fine supporting performances are contributed by Brian Aherne, Cary Grant, Edmund Gwenn, Princess Natalie Paley and Dennie Moore, each of whom portrays a distinctive and colorful character.

The story vividly traces the adventures and absorbing romance of the high spirited, imaginative girl, Sylvia Scarlett. It opens on a channel steamer aboard which Sylvia and her father are escaping from France. To aid in eluding police, who want the father for petty crime, Sylvia has donned boys clothing.

Scarlett casts in his lot with one Jim Monkley, petty smuggler and cheap crook. Sylvia, imbued with Robin Hood ideals, continues her masculine masquerade to aid their enterprises. When the sordid nature of their activities is brought home to her, however, she induces them to abandon rascality and organize a travelling Pierrot show. They encounter Michael Fane, handsome young artist, and his inamorta, the beautiful Lily. From that point, Sylvia's adventures lead into a skein of romantic complications.

George Cukor's directorial genius never has been more admirably demonstrated than in his handling of the swiftly flowing, joyously spirited "Sylvia Scarlett", produced by Pandro S. Berman, from the Compton Mackenzie novel.

"SECRET AGENT"

At Excelsior

A Hitchcock production is always an event, and there is no reason to believe that "Secret Agent" will not prove as great as, if not greater than his other productions. It is an exciting and thriling story put over in splendid style by a clever cast, and reveals a perfection of detail and atmosphere that is a triumph for the director. You will see it this week at the Excelsior.

The story is based on the novel, "Ashenden" by W. Somerset Maugham. and the action takes place in Geneva during the war in 1916, when Switzerland was a happy hunting ground for spies of both the German nation and the Allies.

The leading character is a young British soldier who "dies" and takes the name of "Ashenden" in order to carry out his mission. The part is played by John Gielgud. Peter Lorre has the role of a little Mexican sent with "Ashenden" as his assistant, while Madeleine Carroll plays the part of Ashenden's "wife".

There are some remarkable scenes in the Alps and a sequence in a chocolate factory that are full of thrilling moments.

A spectacular train wreck is the climax to a sequence of colourful incidents in which the elements of romance, humour, suspense and drama are deftly mingled. Peter Lorre secures acting honours with his portrayal of the General, an unknown national in the pay of the British Sercret Service, a portrait which is likely to be considered his finest to date. John Gielgud, Madeleine Carroll and Robert Young, also acquit themselves admirably in widely contrasted roles.

"On Secret Service" with Madeline Caroll at the Excelsior this week.

MUNI STAYS AT OPERA HOUSE

"Story Of Louis Pasteur"

Paul Muni's performances in the "Story of Louis Pasteur" which is being shown at the Opera House for a second week has given the Bombay public not only one of the finest characterizations ever depicted on the screen but has made real contribution to the art of motion picture.

In a tense, smashing drama, replete with action and romance, he has painted the turbulent life of Louis Pasteur, that amazing French scientist whose battle for humanity against ignorance and prejudice is one of the most astounding chapters in modern history in an amazingly colourful picture.

It is hard to realize that there could be such momentous drama in Pasteur's life for in popular imagination he is an almost legendary figure. The story is not just one of the microscope and the laboratory, although even that portion of the picture has been made intensely interesting. The picture dramatizes his battle against the ignorance. superstition and prejudice of the times. Physicians high in the favour of the court branded him as a charlatan and fought his every move. So powerful were they that they had him banished from Paris.

But this sterling character could not be swayed from his work to save humanity, even against its own wish. He carried on with a few faithful followers, turning his back to the scorn and hatred of his fellow scientists, and he lived to triumph over them, to be recognized as the greatest of them all.

Paul Muni, famous on the stage before he brought his talents to the screen, gives much more than a fine characterization. There is no Muni. He has entirely effaced himself, and makes Pasteur live, breathe, working and battling for humanity. The spectator is never conscious of the actor; he sees the man Pasteur.

Muni has an exceptionally talented supporting cast, chief of whom is Josephine Hutchinson, who plays Mme. Pasteur, the wife who stood staunchly beside the chemist during all of his trials and aided him in his work.

Miss Hutchinson in "The Story of Louis Pasteur" has given a performance of remarkable artistry, which places her among the leading feminine players of the screen. She portrays her role with both sympathy and understanding.

The winsome Anita Louise, as the daughter of Pasteur, and Donald Woods, have the romantic roles, being the lovers in the picture. Both give exceptionally fine performances in a very fascinating romance that adds much of interest to the drama.

FIVE SONG HITS WILL BE HEARD IN "SINGING KID"

To Be Shown At The Opera

Four new songs written by the recently contracted First National song-team of Harburg and Arlen are featured in Al Jolson's new filmusical vehicle, "The Singing Kid" booked for the Opera House to follow Louis Pasteur.

A picturesque musical sequence, with Cab Calloway's band and a spiritual-singing choir of 100 Negro voices is also injected as one of the big production numbers.

A fifth song is "You Gotta Have That Hi-de-ho in Your Soul". This was written by Cab Calloway and is sung by him.

The Harburg Arlen songs include "You're the Cure of What Ails Me", a novelty comedy song, presented in a bucolic fishing scene atmospnere, which will be sung by Jolson, Sybil Jason, Edward Everett Horton and Allen Jenkins:

"Save Me Sister", described as a modern spiritual with a theatre background, in which the Calloway Band and the coloured choir appear:

"I love To Sing" a big comedy number with patter, recitative and special choruses, and a radio station background is sung by Jolson and the famous Yatch Club Boys:

"Here's Looking at You", a ballad number sung by Jolson as a stage star in a Broadway show.

Harburg and Arlen, writers of the show songs, are famous both as a "team" and as individual writers. Harburg has written many hit lyrics and libretos. Arlen is noted as the composer of "Stormy Weather" and other sensational song successes.

"The Singing Kid" is a powerful human interest drama which swings intermittently between hilarious comedy and heart wrenching pathos. Besides Jolson the cast includes Sybil Jason, Beverly Roberts. Edward Everett Horton. Lyle Talbot, Allen Jenkins and Claire Dodd.

The picture was directed by William Keighley from the screen play by Warren Duff and Pasty Flick, based on the story by Robert Lord.

"Two's Company" with Ned Spark and Gordon Harker at the Regal

THRILL-PACKED FILM

"Darkest Africa" At The Capitol

With the internationally-known wild animal trainer, Clyde Beatty, heading the cast, "Darkest Africa" opens to-night at the Capitol. Republic Pictures scored a big scoop when they signed a Beatty to play the lead in this fast-moving picture. Manuel King, eleven year old wild animal trainer, the youngest performer to work with lions and tigers, is seen in a chief supporting role. He portrays Baru, a white boy brought up in a jungle. Thrilling battles to the finish between men and wild jungle beasts, exciting fights between Bat-men and humans, lion and tiger fights for control of the jungle, sensational earthquakes, savage tiger-men matching a single man against a den of tigers, are a few of the highlights of the film.

Clyde Beatty meets Baru, a jungle boy, who has come to the outland for assistance in rescuing his sister Valerie, the Goddess of Joba, a city in an unexplored part of Africa. Beatty agrees to help Baru and with the aid of Bonga, an ape, who is Baru's protector, they all manage to set back to Joba after exciting, adventurous encounters with lions, tigers, savages, and Bat-men. Once in Joba, they cross with Dagna, the high priest, who tries to prevent them from leaving. Aiding Dagna are Durking and Craddock, rival animal traders. In the end, Valerie is about to make the great sacrifice of leading from pinnacle Rock so that her brother and Clyde may be released from the clutches of Dagna. At the last moment, Corn, her teacher, changes places-wearing her cloak-makes the leap Dagna meanwhile has released the two. All three manage to escape from Joba just in time and the city of Joba is engulfed in an earthquake.

NED SPARKS & GORDON HARKER IN "TWO'S COMPANY"

At The Regal

Two of the best comedians on the screen are the stars of "Two's Company" which is showing this week at the Regal Theatre. They are Gordon Harker and Ned Sparks, who is appearing in his first British film. This is one of the happiest partnerships seen on the screen for a long time. Both comedians are at the top of their form, and extract every ounce of fun from a story specially adapted for them. The film is based upon the Sydney Horler book "Romeo and Julia," and deals not at all seriously, with the conflict between an aristocratic English family and their wealthy American neighbours. The "war" is waged even more violently by Al, the Americans' lawyer, and Mug-

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Clyde Beatty in "Darkest Africa" at the Capitol this Week.

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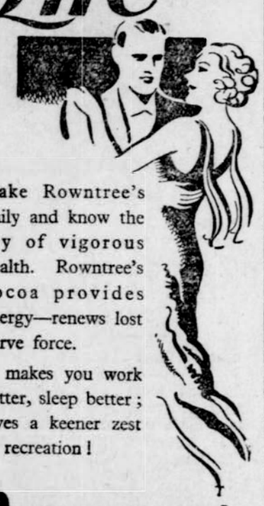

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AROUND THE COURTS

BOMBAY, Friday.

The Palton Road police raided a room last night at Modi Street, where, it is stated, they found sutta transactions, written on a wall in the room. Betting chits were also recovered during the search.

One Chandasaker Kunjaram arrested in this connection was placed before Mr. D. N. D. Khandalawalla, Presidency Magistrate, Esplanade Police Court to-day on a charge under Section 4 of the Prevention of Gambling Act, and was ordered to be released on bail, Rs. 15/-, to be deposited in the Court.

Mr. S. I. Chawan of the Maharbouri police station raided a lemon stall at the entrance of Bhuleshwar market last evening. He arrested three persons, Ismail Sumar, Ibrahim Ismail and Allibhai Tayabali.

It is alleged that 5 marked coins were found on the person of the first accused and Sutta notes written in Gujarathi were seen on a wall near the shop.

Subsequently stall Nos. 88 and 89 in the market were also raided. Some note books showing the daily Teji Mandi figures, it is said, were found there. Two persons, Mohamed Moosa and Umer Ahmed were arrested.

All the five accused were produced before the Girgaum Magistrate to-day and were released on bail till the 28th instant.

Abdul Rahim Shamsuddin was placed before Mr. I. S. Haji, Presidency Magistrate, Mazagaon, on a charge of kidnapping a minor girl from Pydhownie.

It is alleged that the girl was kidnapped on Tuesday last and the accused was apprehended last evening at Mahim.

Further Police inquiries show that the accused in league with a relative of the girl, took her away from her parents' residence. The girl wore ornaments worth Rs. 600.

Pending further Police inquiries, the accused was ordered to be remanded for 14 days.

The husband of a woman named Dudibai (22) residing at Bhawandiwalla's Chawl, Kalachowkie, was stated to have heard cries of his wife on Wednesday evening, when he had gone to a Chemist's shop nearby to purchase some medicine.

He ran back to his room and found his wife enveloped in flames and some neighbours pouring water on her.

Tricum Jiva, giving evidence before the City Coroner, said that his wife told him on her death-bed that she was preparing tea on a stove and when she stood up and stretched her hands to the shelf above, her saree came in contact with the flames.

She was immediately removed to the G. T. Hospital where she died the next day.

The jury returned a verdict of death by shock following burns accidentally sustained.

The story of an assault and daring robbery at a lonely spot near Love Grove Road, by four persons on a Lahore visitor, last evening, was narrated by an Agripada Police Officer to-day, before Mr. I. S. Haji, Presidency Magistrate, Mazagaon.

Alli Ahmed Gulmohommed, the visitor to Bombay, was stated to have been bound hand and foot, gagged and robbed of all his money, pocket-watch and other articles, valued at Rs. 378.

It is alleged that Guluam Rasool and four others were stated to have promised Gul Mohommed, an unemployed man, a job.

They, then, took him to a lonely spot near the sea-wall, opposite the pumping station at Love Grove Road.

All the four persons were, then, alleged to have intimidated the man and finding that the complainant could not be made to surrender easily, they were further stated to have assaulted him.

Then Gul Mohommed was bound hand and foot and gagged.

The accused, then, it was alleged, took all his money amounting to Rs. 366, with his pocket watch, an umbrella and a fur-cap.

The complainant was stated to have been left with bare clothes on his body and was further stated to have been threatened with knife, if he uttered anything.

The accused, then, ran away in the direction of Love Grove Road with their booty leaving Gul Mohommed in a pitiable condition on the road.

The complainant, then, said the police officer, in applying for remand into custody of one of the accused whom they arrested, tossed up his legs and tried to expand his hands, with an attempt to free himself.

He at last set himself free and staggered along the road, with scars and bruises all over his body and face.

Taken to Hospital

A Police Naik chanced to see the man and, then, on inquiries was apprised of the whole story. The Police Naik took him to the hospital for treatment.

While the complainant was narrating his story in the police station, Gulam Rasool was stated to have been found with a fur-cap at Haines Road.

The constable suspected him and on inquiries found on him a sum of Rs. 53-1-6. Gulam Rasool was immediately ordered to move on.

As three more accused persons are still to be traced and as further inquiries have to be instituted, the Police asked for a remand into custody of Rasool. The Magistrate granted the application.

Thirty-seven persons, arrested on gaming charges, on Thursday, were put up before City Magistrates at different Courts.

Twenty-seven of those who were arrested last night, following gaming raids at Dongri, Kamatipura and Love Grove Lane, were placed before Mr. I. S. Haji, Presidency Magistrate, Mazagaon, today.

Of these, 13 persons were arrested for card-gaming, following simultaneous raids by the Dongri Police in two rooms, on the 3rd floor and 4th floor of Anant Bhuvan, a building at Chinch Bunder Road.

The names of the accused are: Gangaji Hirjee, Virjee Lakhamsey, Vithoba Udhaji, Dewoo Gangoo, Mawji Keshao, Kanji Lalji, Raghavji Purushotam, Lavji Kanji, Lalji Thakersey, Nanji Punja, Liladhar Meghaji, Ruttonsi Hirjee and Khimji Kanji.

When a Nagpada Police Constable was on "night beat" at the 8th Lane Kamatipura, he was stated to have seen Baboolal Chedalal receiving 'sutta" bets on the road-side. The constable arrested him and marched him to the police station where 'sutta' chits and a pencil were stated to have been found on his person.

Chawl Raid

The Prevention of Gambling Squad raided a room in Arab Chawl, Love Grove Road, last evening and arrested Mohommed Mohiddin and Babu Sonu.

Two more arrests were effected last night by the Dongri Police in the same connection. Their names are: Laxman Gopal and Kondaj Raghwji.

A raid at Bapty Road by the Crime Branch, C.I.D., resulted in nine arrests.

Their names are: Alli Yarkhan Rusmatallikhan, Gulam Hayder, Mohommed Abdulla, Bashan Wazir, Rustomji Cowasji, Allipsar Rusmatalli, Abdul Manak Noor Mohommed, Gafoor Ibrahim and Ahmedkhan Oomerkhan.

The 27 accused were placed before the Magistrate to-day and ordered to be enlarged on bail, pending further police inquiries.

SPECIAL MEETING OF CORPORATION

The Municipal Secretary informs that in pursuance of a requisition received, for calling a Special Meeting of the Corporation to consider the position arising out of the proposed cancellation of the squatters' licences in the reserved areas at Dongri Street and Jail Road (East) from 1st September 1936, a Special Meeting of the Corporation will be held in the Municipal Office on Friday, August 21, at 4 p.m. (Bombay Time).

Application Converted Into Suit

Before a Full Court of the Bombay Small Causes Court, consisting of Mr. A. A. Chitre, Chief Judge and Mr. Indarnarayan J, Messrs Parekh and Parbhoo, plaintiffs, obtained a 'rule nisi' against the order of the lower court for a refund of the sale proceeds withdrawn by the plaintiff under a decree against the defendants, C. D. Press, after the latter had become insolvent. The Full Court made the rule absolute.

THE FACTS.

The facts of the case are:

The plaintiff obtained a decree against the defendant on 26-7-1935. The defendants' property was attached in execution of the decree on 30-8-1935. The defendant was adjudged an insolvent on 14-10-1935. The property under attachment was sold on 22-10-1935. The plaintiff withdrew the sale proceeds from the court on 25-10-1935. The Official Assignee made an application to the trying Court on 17-1-1935, two and a half months after the plaintiff had withdrawn the sale proceeds. The only point for consideration was whether the Official Assignee could come in under Order 21, rule 58, as representative of the judgment-debtor or he must seek relief by a separate suit. The Allahabad, Bombay, Calcutta and Madras decisions are uniform that the Official Assignee cannot come in as a representative of the judgment-debtor under Order 21, rule 58. (Sec. 7 All. 75, 30 All, 436, 22 Bom. 205, 22 Cal. 259, and 88, I Cas. 25).

IN CREDITORS' INTEREST

The Official Assignee really acts on behalf of and in the interest of the whole body of the creditors. The very nature of the application made to the trying Judge for an order against the plaintiff to restore the sale proceeds which he had withdrawn from the Court, is in the interests of the whole body of creditors. It cannot, therefore, be said that, in making that application, he was a representative of the insolvent judgment-debtor. The Official Assignee, therefore, cannot come in under Order 21, rule 58. In this case the judgment-debtor was adjudged an insolvent between the date of attachment and the date of the sale. In such a case, it was held in 45 Madras 70, that, if a vesting order is subsequent to the date of the attachment, the Official Assignee cannot come in under Order 21, rule 58, but he can apply under Section 151. The inherent jurisdiction under S. 151 can only be invoked when there is no statutory provision for relief against obvious injustice. Order 21, rule 58 itself provides giving the discretion to the Court to convert a suit into an application or an application into a suit, on payment of Court fees. In 56 Madras 447, it has been held that where the Official Assignee cannot come under Order 21, rule 58, his application shall be converted into a regular suit on payment of Court fees. We, therefore, make the rule absolute and convert this application into a suit, on the Official Assignee paying the proper Court fees and direct a new trial and remand the suit back to the Ld. trial Court for hearing on merits."

Rule absolute. No order as to costs.

Mr. Framroze B. Mistry, Advocate, appeared for the plaintiffs. Mr. Ardeshir S. Davar, Advocate, appeared for the Official Assignee.

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The Jt. Hon. Secretaries of the Passengers and Traffic Relief Association write:—

The Members of the Committee of the Passengers and Traffic Relief Association note with regret the sudden demise of Mr. Ramchandra M. Bhatt, who was an enthusiastic member of this Association. He was well-known for his charities and had rendered very valuable services as a Member of the Municipal Corporation, of this Association, and other Bodies. The Association has lost in Mr. Bhatt an ardent supporter and useful member. May his soul rest in peace.

The Passengers and Traffic Relief Association are glad to inform the general public, especially passengers for African Ports that the Bombay Port Trust have decided to provide 20 benches to be put on the Alexandra Dock for the use of passengers sailing by African Mail Boats from that Dock. Arrangements will also be made for the provision of Water Taps at each of the three sheds in Alexandra Dock (Nos. 4, 15 and 16) which are at present inadequately equipped with drinking water facilities. It is also further decided that to allow free flow of air through the sheds during medical examinations that all doors on the road-side of the shed to be kept open, but protected by barricades.

Numerous orders are received by the Passengers and Traffic Relief Association from the general public, all over India, for copies of "Bombay—The Gateway of India" an authentic Tourists' Guide published by the Association, but the same could not be sent as enough postal charges are not accompanying the orders. Persons desiring to obtain copy of this publication by post are requested to send along with their order extra postage stamps for As. 5/9 for registered postal charges. Copies of this Book are also available for sale at Railway Book Stalls and at the numerous Book Shops in the city.

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UNLICENSED STABLES TO GO

Bandra Municipality Decides On Action Against Milch Cattle Keepers

The decision to obtain orders from the Court for closing down unlicensed milch cattle stables in suburbs was reached at the General Board of the Bandra Municipality at its meeting on Thursday evening. Dr. P. A. Dias, the President, was in the chair.

The meeting considered and approved the recommendation of the Public Health Committee regarding several milch cattle stables.

The owners of these stables had been prosecuted by the Municipality for stabling milch cattle without a licence and had been convicted and fined by the court more than once, but they continued the offence.

The General Board now sanctioned that applications should be made to the court to issue orders for closing these stables.

They are situated all over the municipal area, some in Vancola, some in Santa Cruz and others in Khar.

APPEAL TO 'E' WARD RESIDENTS

The Secretaries of the Byculla District Congress Committee have issued the following appeal to the residents of that Ward.

We, the Secretaries of the 'E' Ward District Congress Committee appeal to the residents of 'E' Ward (Byculla) on behalf of the Committee to enrol themselves as Congress members as early as possible. You are well aware that the time of enrolment of primary members who have got votes to elect delegates to Faizpur Congress closes on the 31st August. The newly formed Committee has opened its office at Old Shivaji Hall, opposite Khatao Makanji Mill, and office is kept open from 8 to 10 in the morning and 6 to 8 in the evening. The membership books are available at the office and can be taken on deposit of Rs. 10 and Rs. 5.

The Committee has chalked out an elaborate programme. Three to four public meetings will be held in this month and prominent leaders are likely to address these meetings.

BIHAR MINISTER AND CONGRESS

PATNA (By Mail)

"I am not anti-Congress", declared the Hon. Mr. S. A. Aziz, Minister of Education, Bihar, addressing a meeting of leading Muslims of the Sadar Sub-Division of Chapra at the local Town Hall. Continuing Mr. Aziz said that it was the creed and the activities of the Congress from which he differed. It was, however, not a fact that the Congress was always in the wrong, said the Minister and eulogised the Congress highly for its 'recent' attitude and spirit, manifesting itself in matters of relief, and pointed out the 'heroic achievement' of the Congress in collecting a large sum of money during the Bihar earthquake. He said that he had been instrumental in bringing about the first meeting of its kind between a Congress President and a Governor at Patna which resulted in the smooth working of relief to sufferers from the earthquake.

AIMS OF UNITED MUSLIM PARTY

Mr. Aziz traced the history of the Bihar United Muslim Party, of which he is the sponsor, and said that he found no points of difference with the Bihar Provincial Muslim Ahrar Party but differed fundamentally from the Bihar Muslim Independent Party. He said that he saw no reason why the United Party with its 'noble aims and objects' should not attempt to become the chief organisation of the Muslims in Bihar.

Concluding he spoke on the value of toleration between Muslims and non-Muslims.—A.P.

Brisk preparations are going on in connection with the Comilation of electoral rolls. Special staff is at work and the final list is expected to be ready by October. Mr. Khan, First Class City Magistrate, Jubbulpore is in charge of the work.

POET MEGHANI'S CHARITY RECITAL

Committee Formed To Aid Peasants

In view of the rapidly worsening conditions of peasantry in all areas a small committee of Messrs. Sita Ram Sharma, ("Hindustan Praja-Mitra") Shamaladas Gandhi ("Janmabhumi") Chhelashanker Vyas ("Samachar Weekly") Favibhai Mehta ("Praja Mitra Kasari") and Indulal Qajnik has been formed to devise ways and means for giving relief to the peaantry.

As a first step in the direction Poet Megani has agreed to give a recital of his songs specially those relating to peasant and village life at 8.30 p.m. on Sunday, August 23 at the Blavatsky Lodge (French Bridge).

The first meeting of the relief committee was held on Wednesday evening when it was decided to price all tickets at the uniform rate of Rs. I.

All friends willing to help the sale of tickets are requested to communicate to the Secretary Mr. Indulal Yajnik, at the Hindustan Office, 21, Dalal Street, Fort, Bombay.

Congress Membership In "A" Ward

The Secretary of "A" Ward Congress writes:

"It may be reminded to the public that the last date of enrolment of Congress members with rights to vote, falls on the 31st instant. Therefore, it is proper that all Congress minded persons enrol themselves by that time, so that they become entitled to exercise their votes in the various elections and partake in several activities that take place from time to time in their respective wards.

"The workers of the "A" Ward Dist. Congress Committee are active in their task of enrolling and we are confident that the public of Fort area will not fail to show a large number of members on its rolls."

The office of the "A" Ward (Fort) Dist. Congress Committee is kept open from 9 a.m. to 9 p. m. (S. T). at 28, Manohardas Street, Holi Chakla, Fort.

B. B. & C. I. UNIONS CLOSE UP RANKS

Amalgamation To Resist Retrenchment Drive Likely

It is extremely likely that an amalgamation will be effected between the two unions of the B. B. and C. I. Railway line, the B. B. and C. I. Employees Union (Lower Parel) and the Red-Flag B. B. and C. I. Union at Dadar, in the near future.

The former is the old union under the influence of Mr. Jamnadas Mehta, the Mayor of Bombay, President of the All-India Railwaymen's Federation.

It may be recalled that in 1933 there was a split in the ranks of the older union, on issues of principle and method, when the Red Flag Union was formed.

All the while the seceders were active on the line and now faced with a critical situation of an impending all-round retrenchment and repression on the Railways, the Red Flag Union has made efforts at a rapprochement in the ranks and several conferences have been held recently between the representatives of the two unions to explore all possible avenues of unity.

The move is in line with the united-front policy recently inaugurated on the question of the Railway retrenchment.

It is understood the results of the negotiations are positive and the amalgamation may be said practically to have fructified. The unions will consider the question formally in the near future and the ratification of the rapprochement is said to be only a matter of formality as the representatives have already agreed for cohesion of the unions on the basis of certain conditions.

Conditions For Union

The conditions are understood to be roughly on the following basis:—

(1) The constitution of the old union (Parel) would be acceptable to both the unions.

(2) The name of the amalgamated union will be the same as that of the older union—The B. B. and C. I. Employees' Union.

(3) The principle of class-struggle as a guide to daily action is acceptable to both the unions.

(4) Proportional representation according to the present membership of the two unions on the executive of the amalgamated union.

(5) Right of expression of all views to members on the union platform at public meetings without any restrictions.

(6) The immediate task will be to put an effective programme of fight before the workers on the B. B. and C. I. Railway line in regard to the impending struggle that may be forced on the workers in the near future on account of the new conditions to be imposed on the workers as a result of the deliberations of the Railway Board.

Based on the above agreed conditions, unity is said to be a foregone conclusion.

PREPARATIONS FOR GORKY DAY

Two Meetings And Processions Arranged

Mr. Indulal Yajnik writes:—

Preparations for the celebration of "Gorky Day" on Sunday, 16th inst., ar going on feverishly. A strong representative Committee has been set up to carry out the programmes drafted in a meeting attended by the representatives of various literary and cultural institutions in the city.

Accordingly to the plans there will be two meetings one in the morning at Dadar and the other in the evening at the Blavatsky Lodge. Besides there will be two processions; one starting from Girgaon and the other from Lalbag, reaching the evening meeting.

Pandit Jawaharlal Nehru, is being approached to reach Bombay a day earlier to accept the chair for the meeting. Speeches by well known personalities on the various aspects of Gorky and his literature are being arranged.

So far twelve literary and cultural organisations have joined. Yet there are several institutions whose addresses are not known to. The Committee request all organisations especially the Youth organisations to join the celebrations and lend their auspices. Further informations can be had of Mr. Lalji Pendse, Navalkar Lane, Girgaon Back Road, Bombay.

HOW "AXE" WILL WORK

Indian Railway Board's Letter To All-India Federation

The General Secretary of the All-India Railwaymen's Federation writes:

The following letter has been received from the Railway Board on the subject of staff retrenchment:—

"With reference to this office letter No. E 36 R E 1 (L), dated the 12th June 1936. I am directed to state that the Agents of State-managed Railways have been further instructed that, when it is decided to proceed with the discharge of staff on the basis of comparative efficiency, selection should be made primarily within each grade to which the number of holders of posts, substantively, may be in excess of the number of posts required to be retained.

"When, however, an employee thus selected is declared by the Selection Committee to be suitable for employment in the grade from which he was last substantively promoted or in a lower grade in which he may previously have been employed the employee should be offered demotion as an alternative to discharge. Should selection for discharge on the basis of comparative efficiency be necessary in the grade in which the employee may agree to accept demotion, he should be considered in comparison with the others in that grade."

The Railway Board have further informed the Federation that the principle of division of the open line staff into permanent and temporary has been approved by the Board and the Railway Administrations have been accordingly informed It is learnt nearly 20 per cent. of the staff may be treated as temporary or casual workers.

The world Jewish Congress meeting in Geneva has adopted a resolution calling on all sections democracy to intensify by boycott of Nazis.

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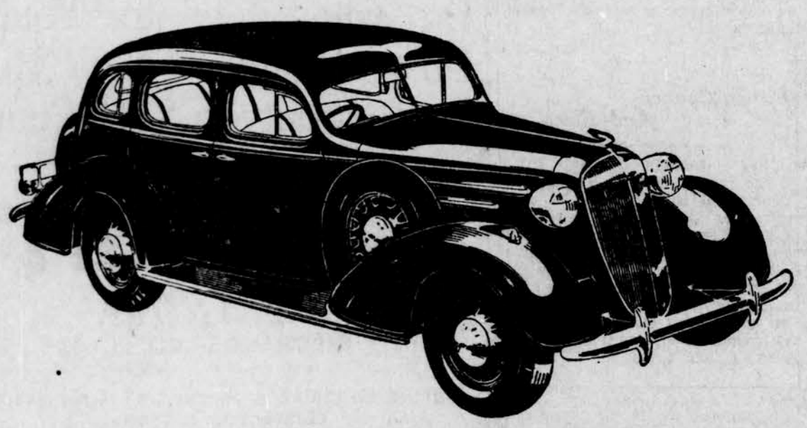

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Terms Of Anglo-Egyptian Agreement

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LONDON, (By Air Mail.)

Egypt And The Treaty

Though the text of the military clauses will naturally remain unpublished until the close of the negotiations and Mr. Eden was prudently non-committal on the subject yesterday (July 27), it is known already that they provide *inter alia* for the gradual removal of the British force in Cairo to the Ismailia region when the necessary barracks and other works have been constructed.

The British Government's insistence on the maintenance of a British garrison at the Egyptian capital contributed to the failure of all attempts at negotiation before 1930. Egyptians were naturally sensitive to the comment aroused by the presence of these troops in peacetime in the chief city of a nation whose independence Great Britain had recognized in 1922. The amenities of Cairo—which incidentally can be exaggerated—and considerations of prestige no doubt contributed to British hesitation. The negotiations of 1930, however, marked a turning point, and in the recent discussions the British Government's chief concern has been to devise a method of combining this necessary and political concession to Egypt with the security of British Imperial communications. On the Egyptian side there has been a full and welcome recognition of the changes in the military situation in the Levant and the Red Sea which have been brought about by the Italian conquest of Abyssinia and by the great development of offensive armaments. Both delegations have, in fact, shown an abundant commonsense and an understanding of the other side's point of view which are of good augury for the solution of the difficult, but by no means insuperable, problem of the Sudan. If Whitehall recognizes that something must be done to prove that the Anglo-Egyptian 'condominium' is more than a mere phrase and the Egyptian leaders realize that the Sudanese as well as the British have interests which cannot be disregarded, then the last obstacle to a Treaty will have been removed.—The "Times," London.

TERMS OF AGREEMENT.

Mr. Eden warned us yesterday (July 27) that "the unofficial statements purporting to set out the points of the articles which have been initialled should be accepted with the greatest caution"; nevertheless the reports in the Egyptian papers and elsewhere are in broad agreement.

It seems to be settled that the British troops and Air Force are to withdraw to an area under the Suez Canal to protect Inter-Imperial communications, that British military advisers will help to train a larger Egyptian army to maintain internal order, and that the British occupation of the Canal Zone will be limited to a period of twenty years. These points follow the draft treaty accepted both by the late Mr. Arthur Henderson and by the present Egyptian Premier in 1930, but the Egyptians are believed to have made several concessions owing to the changed outlook in the Mediterranean since that time. It is stated that the area in which the British troops may move in the Canal zone has been enlarged, British aeroplanes are to be permitted to fly over the whole country (one Egyptian delegate objected to this as an infringement of sovereignty), while there is no mention of any limitation of the size of the British army, although a "Temps" report speaks of 10,000 men. As to the navy, Britain is said to have guaranteed not to use Alexandria as a naval base in war time, although the harbour is to be improved for possible use in time of war. On the other hand, mention is made of a special stipulation that will allow the British land forces to remain in the Alexandria zone for another eight years. The withdrawal from the rest of Egypt is to be preceded by the construction of barracks along the Canal, the building of some new military roads, and the strengthening of the railways from the Canal to Alexandria and the Lybian frontier. The agreement seems to be a reasonable compromise on which both sides may be congratulated.—The "Manchester Guardian."

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Britain And Germany

Every time Germany makes approaches to Britain and pro-German feeling increases something happens to repulse Britain. The latest is Grieser's behaviour. Had von Ribbentrop gone to London after that incident, he would have found few friends.

Some friends of Germany are trying to excuse the Reich for any Eastern adventure which she might try to carry out at some future date and they are now preparing public opinion by an ope anti-Bolshevist propaganda. They declare that the Franco-Russian treaty is responsible for many of Germany's complaints but they forget that in face of the great German rearmament and the hesitating attitude of Great B France was forced to look for a friend. Many Britons have become sceptical of Germany's intentions and they point to the contempt with which Germany is treating Britain's question.—"Neue Zurcher Zeitung," Zurich.

COLONIAL COMPENSATION.

British parliamentary circles profess to know that the Government would be willing to consider colonial compensation to Germany in exchange for a radical turn in Berlin's foreign policy. Britain insists that Germany returns to the European fold and resumes membership of the League. She must also give a clear and binding undertaking as to her future aims.

If this news is true, and there is little reason to doubt it, the question arises: Which colonies are likely to be returned or allotted to Germany. After the statement made by the Union of South Africa Government, the Tanganyika territory is as good as debarred from the bargain. France, too, will oppose the return of more than a fraction of the one-time German colonies and the British are known to support her in this. Therefore the only likely territory to be given to Germany is a part of New Guinea.—"Basler Nachrichten," Basle.

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Italy And Colonies

The statement made by the South African Minister Pirow have raised once more the question of Germany's colonial claims. Our campaign in Abyssinia is the best answer to the question. We do not believe that the League is willing or able to make any effort for the settlement of this problem.

Also the reactions of all those countries which may be called upon to make sacrifices are more than enough to kill the last shred of hope in the hearts of the optimists. The magnanimity of Pirow in offering other people's colonies to Germany but staunchly refusing to return one square-inch of South African colonial spoils strengthens our opinion of the great League supporters and jealous guardians of "international morality."—"Azione Coloniale," Rome.

MUSSOLINI'S OVERTURES TO U. S. A.

The Abyssinian campaign has created a big hole in Italy's finances and the colonisation of the territories already conquered cannot start on account of lack of funds. The main European countries, Britain and France, which would be able to come to her aid, are for political reasons.

America being the only alternative, Rome has begun soundings in Washington. In order to dispel American suspicions, Mussolini started by expressing his wish for a settlement of payments due to America. According to his scheme, Italy would be ready to accept a new amortisation scheme and would be willing to pay a minimum of 63 million dollars per annum. In exchange, however, the American Government must cease to oppose the raising of private loans from American banking houses.—"Adeverul," Bucharest.

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Franco-Italian Friction

Difficulties between the Government of French Somaliland and the Italian authorities in Abyssinia have lately increased dangerously. Hardly a day passes without some new administrative or diplomatic conflict over the Jibuti Railway.

The Italian Military Command now is using an even more violent tone and accuses Paris of deliberately obstructing the work of improvement by the occupational troops. She may either decide to renounce the use of the railway and order the construction of a new line or she may decide on other measures "which would stop French sabotage on Italian territory forever."—"Venkov", Prague.

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An Irish Boy In England

London must offer some marvellous opportunities, I said to myself, so I started for London with a little money of my own. I quickly realised that I was not the only one thinking thus. Irish boys came on every boat, all quite cheerful at first some joined the British Army. I felt sorry for those manly Irish boys, when I pictured them in the blistering heat of /ndia fighting for an Empire which does its best to crush its people. Thus writes a 19-year-old Irish boy from London.

No, I would never join the British Army. I would starve first. But the "hub of the Empire" was not very thrilling on an empty stomach. I went to sing with the hundreds of Irish boys and girls in Hyde Park in the evenings. (In the "Irish Press", Dublin.)

THE REVOLT IN SPAIN

(Continued from Page 8).

external support in fact are decided, as comparisons or contrasts will reveal, more in accordance with practical estimates bound with utilitarian conceptions of big Powers than by any definite or rigid rule. The reserve of Great Britain, a reserve that in this case implies checks to the Madrid regime, is determined by consideration of repercussions on wide Empire interests, and French restraint of the time is largely influenced by considerations of not aiding Herr Hitler's pet scheme of Germany developing a strong front with Britain and Italy. At the same time, concern is not absent in various British circles of a new dictatorship coming to existence in Spain which, having regard especially to difficulties also for Britain bound with Italian and German aims, is greatly likely to further complicate the situation relating to the Mediterranean. There is in regard to the Spanish situation as well all the conflict bound with attention and care for colonial idea and interests on the one hand and anxiety bound with strategical issues, on the other, that came up in regard to Abyssinia.

The Spanish revolt thus has world significance. It indicates the advanced stage to which certain fundamental currents bound greatly with economic conditions and aspirations have reached and implies the quick reaction of one set of developments on another. The rush from quarters outside also suggests that a type of order might well mean an incentive to an explosion, as again in a way shown in the case of the Abyssinian adventure. With the quickness with which events react on each other, the run of developments now in Spain will any way bring assertive signs and influences of international significance to the foreground, and as such, it calls for close and careful attention also from India.

Send Off To Jain Youth

Under the auspices of the Vishaporwad Jain Yuwak Mandal, a meeting of the community was convened on Sunday last under the presidentship of Sheth Keshrichand Bhanabhai. Many speakers congratulated and wished a Happy Bon-voyage to Mr. Jayantilal Pawanchand Jhaveri of Surat, who is proceeding to England for higher studies.

While replying Mr. Jayantilal said that he was overwhelmed with the feelings of the thankfulness for the honour given to him. He also thanked for the various suggestions given to him and would not forget the same till the time he is to England. He then pointed out the importance of the Education for the community.

Burma Council And Elections

RANGOON, August 12.

The present Burma Legislative Council, it is learnt, will be dissolved in the second week of October and the general election to the House of Representatives will be held in the second week of November and the dates provisionally fixed for the purposes by the local Government are 12th October and 12th November, 1936.—United Press.

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INDULAL YAJNIK'S APPEAL TO PRESIDENT JAWAHARLAL

The following open letter is addressed to Pandit Jawaharlal Nehru, President of the Indian National Congress by Indulal Yajnik:—

I need make no apology for addressing this open letter to you as the President of the Indian National Congress, the only effective political organisation seeking to respond to the needs of the Indian people. I am enclosing a list of fundamental and immediate demands, emerging from the political and economic conditions of the exploited masses forming the overwhelming majority of the Indian people. These demands have been formulated by me in consultation with my friends from Gujerat, Bombay, Maharashtra, and Punjab.

It is my hope and request that you will give these demands your careful and earnest attention and recommend them with such amendments and modifications as you may think it proper, to the notice of the All-India Congress Committee and the All-India Congress Parliamentary Board, with a request to incorporate them in the Congress Election Manifesto and pledge the Congress candidates standing for election to the realisation of these demands in and outside the legislatures.

TELL IT TO MASSES.

I am making this request because I am convinced that it is necessary, once and for all, to inform the people of this country in a clear and unequivocal language what the Congress proposes to do vis-a-vis the immediate political and economic grievances of the 90 per cent. of the Indian people who look to the Congress as the sole political instrument for the betterment of their pitiable lot.

I confess that a letter like this may be deemed rather unusual. But then the circumstances attending the political groupings and party platforms in this country are also rather unusual. I have, therefore, been compelled under a deep sense of public duty to address this appeal direct to you.

The demands of the Kisans and workers and measures for their relief are being to-day urged through three sets of representative bodies and organisations affiliated to them: (1) The Indian National Congress (2) The All-India Trade Union Congress and (3) The All-India Kisan Committee:

Of these even the most progressive Congress Committees representing as they do, all sections and classes of the people might find it difficult to identify themselves entirely with the standpoint of the toiling masses, though they might go far—as they are doing in some places—in that direction.

The second, The Trade Union Congress, shaped by the storms and struggles of the industrial working class during the last 15 years, certainly represents authentic voice of the industrial workers. But its constitution and traditions do not fully qualify it for voicing the demands of the agricultural, clerical and other workers and peasants.

MOUTHPIECE OF PEASANTS.

The All-India Kisan Committee and the bodies associated with it, no doubt are the mouthpiece of the working peasants, the tenants the landless workers and all other Kisans. Unlike the Congress Committees and organisation affiliated to it the All-India Kisan Committee though manned by the Congress workers and rank and file Congressmen, is organisationally independent of the Congress. But then the grievances and the demands of industrial, clerical and other poor workers fall outside the purview of its deliberations.

Under these circumstances and with this central fact in mind my friends and I have formulated in brief the minimum demands of all the workers (industrial, agricultural, clerical and others) which can form the only basis of a struggle inside as well as outside the Provincial Legislatures. It is, therefore, necessary that an integrated programme embodying the demands and grievances of all the different exploited sections of the Indian masses should be evolved, and placed before the country.

We believe that this is the only manner in which the struggle for independence aiming at the benefit of the masses can be furthered and developed.

THE DEMANDS.

I need not dilate on the obvious importance and urgency of these demands. Most of those are taken for granted in all independent and democratic countries mindful of the welfare of the people. They are calculated to inaugurate not a Socialist, but a progressive and democratic, State which considers its bounden duty to ensure a minimum standard of life, health and happiness for the masses. I am sure that you with your belief in economic justice for the masses will be in accord with these demands.

I need not refer to the much-vexed question of the acceptance of offices. As a member of the All-India Anti-Ministry Committee I am firmly opposed to the acceptance of Ministership under the present constitution. But apart from my personal views, I have to urge that Congressmen pledged to these or any other set of demands will be expected to work whether in or out of offices, for their immediate fulfilment by administrative and legislative acts or by strenuous agitation in the Legislatures and the country.

In conclusion, let me assure you that I am emboldened by your frank and fearless advocacy of the cause of the masses, to address this open letter to you. I am sure you will treat it with the sympathy and consideration it deserves and refer it with your observations to the proper authorities.

And whatever the final outcome of this letter, I assure you of my warmest regards, personal and political, for your noble endeavours for the cause of Indian Freedom.

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1. Freedom of speech, Press, Association, Strike and Picketing.
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3. Complete equality of women on legal, social, political and economic matters.
4. Complete equality of the depressed classes in all social and political matters.

WORKERS' DEMANDS.

1. 40 Hours week without reduction in wages, or retrenchment.
2. Adequate minimum wage assuring a decent standard of living for industrial, agricultural, clerical and for all other workers.
3. A compulsory and comprehensive system of social insurance for industrial and agricultural workers based on contribution by Government and employers to include:—
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   (d) Old age pensions.
   (e) Maternity benefit.
   (f) Liberalisation and extension of Workmen's Compensation Act to all industrial workers.
   (g) Death benefit.
4. One month's leave with pay, and 15 days' casual leave.
5. Abolition of child labour under 14 years.
6. Cheap and adequate housing accommodation to be provided by State or local bodies to workers. The rent charged should not exceed 10 per cent. of the income.
7. Special protection of female labour (under ground).
8. System of direct employment and abolition of all contract and indentured labour.
9. Repeal of the Trade Disputes' Act.
10. Cancellation of all debts below Rs. 750.
11. Abolition of fines and penalisation of employers indulging in victimisation and insulting treatment.

SECURITY OF SERVICE.

12. Security of service to be guaranteed.
13. Abolition of all system of absentee landlordism such as Zamindary, Khot, Inamdari, Talukdari, and all similar system of landlordism.
14. Occupancy rights in land of the absentee landlords, to be vested in the tillers of the soil.
15. Reduction of agricultural rent by 50 per cent.
16. Abolition of the present land revenue system and substitution by a system of land tax on an income-tax basis exempting income below Rs. 500.
17. State insurance for petty peasant proprietors against losses due to adverse weather conditions, famine and other calamities.
18. Waste and cultivable land other than fallow to be given to the landless peasants who should be subsidised by the State to enable them to till these lands.
19. No imprisonment for failure to pay land revenue, rent or debt.
20. Immunity of attachment of the minimum 5 acre of land, live stock and other necessaries of life for failure to pay revenue, rent or debt.

BAN ON FORCED LABOUR

21. Penalisation of all who employ forced labour, Hali serfdom, beggar, etc.
22. Rates for water giving direct benefit to land to be halved. All other charges for sub-soil water or indirect benefit to be abolished.
23. Sufficient pasturages for every village to be provided free.
24. Free fuel and grazing rights for village people in adjoining forest and waste lands.
25. Existing house-rent in industrial centres to be halved and Rent Control Act to be passed.
26. Extensions and modifications of factory act to include workplaces employing more than 5 persons.
27. Shop assistants act to be introduced for regulation of wages and hours of work.
28. Equal pay for equal work irrespective of racial or sex distinction.
29. Recognition of Trade Union and Kisan Sanghas by employers and landlords of the state.
30. Repeal of all repressive measures, ordinances and orders and release of all political, peasant and working class prisoners.

ADULTERATED GHEE SELLERS SENTENCED

Municipal Court Convicts Five During Week

The following persons were convicted and fined by the Municipal Court of Honorary Presidency Magistrates, Fort, Esplanade Police Court during the first week of August:

Poonsi Jetha, owner of the shop at No. 70 Northbrook Street, was convicted on 7-8-36 and fined Rs. 80 in default to undergo 2 months' simple imprisonment, for selling ghee adulterated to the extent of 80.9 per cent.

Keshavlal Samaldas, vendor in the shop at No. 171 Dadishet Agiary Street, was convicted on 7-8-36 and fined Rs. 30 in default to undergo 15 days' simple imprisonment for selling ghee adulterated to the extent of 30 per cent.

Vachharaj Jadhavji Gordia, owner of ths shop at No. 139 Dadishet Agiary Street was convicted on 7-8-36 and fined Rs. 33 in default to undergo three weeks' simple imprisonment, for selling ghee adulterated to the extent of 33 19 per cent.

The following persons were convicted and fined by the Municipal Court of Hon. Presidency Magistrates, Mazgaon, Mazgaon Police Court:

Shamat Jiwraj, vendor in the grocer's shop at No. 169A, Foras Road was convicted on 5-8-36 and fined Rs. 75 in default to undergo one month's simple imprisonment for selling ghee adulterated to the extent of 36.3 per cent.

Gopal Keshav Sinkar, vendor in the shop at No. 5 Portuguese Church Street, Dadar, was convicted on 8-8-36 and fined Rs. 20 for selling butter adulterated to the extent of 50 per cent.

The Hon. Mr. Justice F. W. Spargo, I.C.S., Bar.-at-Law, Acting Judge of the Rangoon High Court, has been granted leave on average pay for two months and ten days with effect from the 30th August.

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Sir Jehangir B. Boman-Behram bore testimony to the daily growing love of music among Parsis of both sexes, at the annual concert of Mr. Framroze D. Shroff's class, which was held at the Sir Cowasji Jehangir Hall, on Sunday last, in the presence of a very large gathering, when the hall and both the galleries were filled to their utmost capacity. A choice programme of 28 items of different 'rags' and 'ragnis,' presented by the present and past pupils of the three classes conducted by Mr. Shroff, was fully appreciated. All those who participated in the items acquitted themselves creditably; but a few deserve a passing notice for their outstanding performances. Mr. Panthakey's song 'State of mind after the divine love has been manifest' was encored more than once; and those rendered by Mrs. Irani, Miss Mullah and Miss Panthakey were encored, also the 'March la Miserables' rendered by all the pupils of the class.

Khan Saheb Maneck H. Dadachanji testified to the excellent work in music done by the Institute of Mr. Shroff for the last 16 years and exhorted Parsi parents to send their children there. Instruction was imparted there scientifically—without fees to some or with reduced fees in deserving cases. He announced that a member of the audience was so much impressed by the way Mr. Panthakey had rendered his piece that he had given a good sum as a present to encourage the pupils of the Institute. After the President, Sir Jehangir B. Bomonbehram had paid a tribute to the work of the Institute at the headquarters and at its two branches, viz., at Lalbag and Dadar, the gathering dispersed after enjoying a full four hours' entertainment.

MONSOON FAILS IN PENINSULA

POONA: August 14.

The Monsoon has strengthened in Lower Burma but remains generally weak elsewhere. Rainfall has been nearly general in Lower Burma, East Central Provinces, Punjab Hills, South Hyderabad, Mysore, Madras Deccan, local in Assam, west United Provinces, west Central Provinces, North-West Frontier Province, west Rajputana and Malabar.

A few falls occurred in Upper Burma, Bengal, Orissa, Chota Nagpur, east United Provinces, the Konkan, Bombay Deccan and south-east Madras.

The Chief Amounts of Rainfall are:—Amherst 5 inches; Gadag 3, Tavoy, Cuttack, Kanker, Bellary 2 each; Jagdalpur, Bikaner, Hanamkonda 1-1/2 inches each.

FORECAST:—Rainfall will increase in Burma extend round the head bay of Bengal and occur locally in the Peninsula and along the Western Himalayas.—A.P.

WEEKLY WEATHER REPORT

POONA, August 13.

Following is the weekly report for the week ending 12th August:—

Bay monsoon was strong in Burma on the first four days. Seasonal trough of low pressure was active over the Gangetic plain up to the 10th. Monsoon was generally strong in United Provinces and Northeast India for the first five days rainfall being locally heavy in and around East United Provinces on the 7th. The monsoon extended into Northwest India towards the end of the week. The Arabian Sea branch of the monsoon was generally weak except for a spell of activity in the Konkan and the Central Provinces during the first half of the week.—A.P.

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Summary of Meteorological Observations during 24 hours ending 8 a.m. of 14-8-1936.

Change of 8 a.m. barometer in past 24 hours—.084 inches.
Temperature (dry bulb) at 8 a.m. 80.8 degrees.
Temperature (wet bulb) at 8 a.m. 77.2 degrees.
Maximum temperature during 24 hours 86.7 degrees 1.8 (above normal).
Minimum temperature during 24 hours 77.0 degrees 1.1 (above normal).
Relative Humidity at 8 a.m. 85 p.c.
Direction of wind at 8 a.m. WNW.
Velocity of wind at 8 a.m. 13 miles per hour.
Total movement of wind in 24 hours 215 miles.
Velocity of maximum gust of wind during 24 hours 26 miles per hour.
Extent of cloud at 8 a.m. (the whole sky cloudy eq. 10). 5
Rainfall in 24 hours 0.11 inches.
Total rainfall during the month 5.81 inches.
Total rainfall during the year 46.93 inches.
Weather Remarks Showers.

Earthquake.—An earthquake shock of slight intensity at its origin about 3,330 miles away was recorded by the seismographs at the Colaba Observatory at 1h. 42 mts. (I.S.T.) on Friday the 14th August 1936.

OFFICIAL BAROMETER READING DATED 14-8-36.

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Indian News From Here And There

MATERNITY AID IN VILLAGES

Scheme For Training Of Mid-Wives

(From Our Correspondent).

BARODA, August 12.

The second half-yearly meeting of the Development Board was held recently under the chairmanship of Dr. S. M. Pagar, the Development Commissioner. Among other things the Board considered the scheme for the training of Mid-wives in rural areas and the application of the Dais Act. The scheme was accepted and is going to be introduced in Baroda Taluka. With reference to other areas, the Sanitary Commissioner was asked to undertake a survey of the maternity work done at present in villages so as to ascertain the number of practising Dais and to see if an adequate number could be trained up within a period of three years.

After this survey, a complete scheme for providing qualified maternity help in rural areas in the State will be prepared and introduced by the Medical Department.

VILLAGE SANITATION

Regarding village sanitation the report submitted by the Sanitation, Medical Relief and Panchayat Sub-Committee on the Medical examination of a typical village was discussed in the meeting. In this connection, the Revenue Commissioner has already passed orders providing space in each village for (1) Street refuse and dung, and (2) Public latrines.

In addition to what is already being done for the prevention of malaria, the Sanitary Commissioner was requested to study this problem intensively and to prepare a scheme with reference to each district in consultation with the District Panchayats.

To encourage the spirit of self-help among villagers in the matters of rural development, it was decided to call a village uplift workers' conference in each district. This will provide a common platform for the exchange of views between the district officers and the villagers on questions vitally affecting rural life. It was also decided to undertake further economical and industrial surveys and to frame a scheme for establishing in the State "An Economic Inquiry Board" in co-ordination with the College.

ECONOMIC INQUIRY BOARD.

It may be suggested here that the services of the Baroda Economic Association may be requisitioned for establishing an 'Economic Inquiry Board.' The Economic Association is already working in co-ordination with the historical society of Baroda College. During its existence of two years the association has been able to bring home to the public of Baroda the need of discussing local economic problems.

Mr. Bhikhalal B. Kapasi has already suggested the need of studying "Baroda Economics" stating that "with the approach of Federation, Baroda will have to play its part not only as an important political unit, but an economic one too."

Nizam And Tungabhadra Conference

(From Our Correspondent.)

HYDERABAD, (Dn.), Aug. 13.

In the ensuing Conference over the Thungabhadra Project to be held at Delhi, shortly on behalf of the Hyderabad Government Mr. R. M. Crafton, officiating Revenue Member, will participate. Nawab Ali Nawaz Jung Bahadur, Chief Engineer and Secretary, Public Works, who hitherto represented Hyderabad is expected to attend the Conference only as an expert adviser.

Diwan Ramprasad Bapalal Dead

(From A Correspondent)

DANTABHAVANGADH, (Mahikantha), Aug. 13

Diwan Mr. Ramprasad Bapalal died of heart failure. The deceased came from a noble Sathodra Nagar family of Nadiad and joined the Bombay Secretariat after graduation.

He rose to be Senior Superintendent and Assistant Secretary to Bombay Government. He joined the State services in 1932. He leaves behind him a young widow and five children. All the offices and schools were kept closed in honour of the deceased.

C. P. GOVERNOR AND ELECTIONS

Congress M.L.A. To Move Adjournment Of Assembly

(From A Correspondent.)

RAIPUR, (By Mail).

It is understood that Seth Shivdas Daga, M.L.A., Raipur. (C.P.) has given notice of the following adjournment motion of the House in the ensuing session of the Assembly at Simla:—

"That the House do stand adjourned to discuss a definite matter of urgent public importance, viz., mis-use of the powers and position by the acting-Governor of C. P. and Berar, Mr. E. Raghavendra Rao, in carrying an active propaganda for the ensuing elections to the Legislative Assembly during his tours in the Province."

NIZAM AND EDUCATIONAL CONFERENCE

Press Report Contradicted

(From Our Correspondent.)

HYDERABAD, (Dn.), Aug. 13.

A communique issued this evening says:—

The news published in certain sections of the Press that Government have not given sanction for holding meeting of State. Peoples' Educational Conference has no foundation. It will be recalled that the Government agreed not to insist on payment of usual security for purposes of the conference but insisted upon some suitable Mulki (Hyderabadee) being selected to preside. The name of one gentleman so selected has not met with the Government's approval and it is, therefore, incorrect to state that permission for the holding of the Conference itself has been refused."

NARENDRA DEO AT 'NAGAR

D. C. C. Decisions

(From A Correspondent.)

AHMEDNAGAR, August 12.

Sjt. Acharya Narendra Deo, Member of the Congress Working Committee, has come over here for a change of climate. He is the guest of Sjt. Raosaheb Patwardhan. He intends to stay here for a week.

Mr. Achyut Patwardhan has returned from his South Indian tour.

The meeting of the Ahmednagar District Congress Committee, adjourned on the 9th instant for want of full quorum, took place on the 10th. The following resolutions were unanimously carried:

The following gentlemen shall be the members of the Ahmednagar District Congress Parliamentary Board:—Swami Sahajanand, Messrs. Chinchorkar, Takate, Raosaheb Patwardhan, Achutrao Patwardhan, Baumiya, Deochakke (provisionally appointed) and one representative from Sangamner.

The Ahmednagar District Congress Parliamentary Board which at present consists of only six seats shall have in the interests of greater efficiency at least one more representative from every district within its jurisdiction.

DEPOSIT FROM CANDIDATES.

Just as the Provincial Parliamentary Board has asked for Rs. 50 as deposit to be sent along with the candidate's application, similarly it shall also demand Rs. 100 as deposit to meet the initial expenses of each district.

It shall accept only such applications as are forwarded through the District Parliamentary Board. If the District Parliamentary Board is recognised by the Provincial Parliamentary Board, every candidate shall provisionally pay Rs. 500 as subscription towards defraying the expenses of general propaganda.

To carry on propaganda for the spread of Hindi, Mr. N. K. Firodea has been selected to represent the Ahmednagar district.

BILLS BEFORE BURMA COUNCIL

Important For Agriculturists And Debtors

(From Our Correspondent)

RANGOON, (By Mail).

His Excellency Sir Archibald Cochrane will inaugurate the monsoon session of the Burma Legislative Council by his first address to the Legislature which will commence its sitting on the 11th and continue till the 19th, but, if the official business is not over, the days of sitting may be extended. The non-official bills are the Debt Conciliation Bill, the City of Rangoon Elementary Educational Bill, the Agriculturists' Loans Amendment Bill, the Debtors' Protection Bill, the Thathanabaing Jurisdiction Bill, the Pawnshops Bill and the City of Rangoon Municipal Amendment Bill.

The Thathanabaing Bill has raised a great controversy among the Phongyis who are divided in their opinion on the Bill which is likely to be thrown out in the Council, as most of the members have given their promises to the leading Phongyis to oppose the Bill.

Among the official bills, the Opium Smoking Bill to be sponsored by the Forest Minister, the Honourable U. Ba Pe, will create a lively debate, as licensing of the smoking dens will lead to corruption and smuggling to a greater extent.

Mr. Ganga Singh, M.L.C., is giving notice of an amendment on the bill, suggesting to suppress smoking dens, but to give license to those registered smokers to smoke within their respective houses.

PROCESS FEES BILL

Among the official business is included the Burma Process Fees Amendment Bill which will be introduced by the Finance Member. The statements of the objects and reasons attached to the Bill says that Burma Process Fees Act 1910 is defective in that it does not provide for the maintenance of the establishments for the services and execution of processes and notices by local bodies where the officers of local bodies have also been appointed to perform the duties of Revenue Officers. The present bill is intended to remedy this defect with retrospective effect.

GANGA SINGH'S BILL.

The resolution by Mr. Ganga Singh to register indigenous residents after separation and to recognise such registered persons as Burmans failed to survive the ballot. His another resolution to investigate action of some British soldiers for disturbing public peace at Mandalay on July 10, has secured a place on the agenda of the last non-official day, but, as it is not likely to be reached in time, he now intends to move an adjournment motion on the subject on the opening day of the Council.

RURAL UPLIFT IN C. P.

Kisan Sabha For Saugor

(From Our Correspondent.)

SAUGOR, (By Mail).

In order to promote the economic welfare, improve the existing conditions of the rural life, and to safeguard the economic interest of the agriculturists of the district a new organisation under the name of "District Kisan Sabha—Saugor" was established at a meeting of the leading Malguzars and Kisans, held at Town Hall, on the 9th instant. Mr. Gopilal Shrivastave presided.

ROUND THE WORLD ON FOOT

Mr. K. D. Pillai, a young student of the Madras University who left his native place Tanjore on the 21st of February, 1935, after completing his tour in the Punjab and going through many districts of the U. P. arrived in Saugor from Damoh 'en route' to Bhopal. He has covered 8,000 miles up to Saugor and intends to go round the world.

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(From A Correspondent.)

ALLEPPEY, August 13.

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Congress Delegates And Visitors

To The Editor of "The Chronicle."

Sir,—The idea of holding the ensuing Session of Congress at Faizpur (of wherever in the district it may be held) is to bring home its work to villagers, and to bring home the lot of villagers to Congressmen.

May I suggest a way to bring both of them still nearer? Give the villagers of the district a share in Congress work and give Congressmen a share in village life, by making arrangements, as far as practicable, for delegates and visitors, during their stay, to board and lodge with the residents of the locality within accessible distance. Firstly, this will enable the organisers to save the cost and labour of erecting and maintaining large camps. Secondly, this will enable Congressmen to share intimately the thoughts and life of villagers, whose cause is championed by Congress. Thirdly, the villagers will be able to put their individual viewpoints and their difficulties before Congressmen, in their own way and words and have frank discussions with them on topics of mutual interest. Fourthly, villagers will come to realise more intimately, what Congress lives and strives for, than if the Congress Session came in their midst like a travelling circus, pitched its tent in the fields for a few days, in which lights blazed and horses pranked and the lions roared, to the astonishment and delight of gaping rustics, and then the show passed on. Fifthly, as the board and lodging will be paid for from the funds collected for the Session, the villagers will be grateful for being the richer by the Congress having come in their midst and having left the village economically better than it was prior to the Session.

It will be conceded, I trust, that by establishing some such intimate contact as here proposed, not a few Congressmen may come to know something of the stumbling blocks in the farmers' way, the problem of rural re-construction, the land tax, debt relief, marketing of agricultural produce, etc. Given a sympathetic co-worker, the farmer is ready to collaborate. The old spirit of unity in the village and the four primitive and traditional virtues of courtesy, duty, fairness and modesty have not yet totally disappeared from our villages. Congressmen may tell the farmer something about the advantages of co-operative movement and, self improvement by voluntary method and bring to them the newest ideas of agriculture, education a hygiene and awake the farmer to new possibilities. Cohesion in the village is an asset of supreme value to the reformer. Congress may through its members help to bring home to the villager, its peculiar importance in the present economic condition of the country. In this manner, Congress may make a permanent impression on the villagers for their own good. In any event, the opportunity seems to be too good to be allowed to pass by.—Yours, etc.,

NAYAN H. PANDIA.

Indian Cricket Team

To The Editor of "The Chronicle."

Sir,—The players comprising the Indian Cricket team have shown occasionally the calibre they possess. But spasmodic performance in individual cases do not comprise cricket in its proper sense. Evidently there is want of cohesion in the team and it is no good conniving at it as it is even acknowledged in a recent issue of the official organ of the Board of Control for Cricket in India.

If the tour is yet to become a financial success the Board must move in the matter and move fast. The splendid achievements of Messrs. Merchant and Mustaqalli in the second Test must not lead us into a false sense of security and belief that henceforth everything in the team will go on smoothly and there will be no jarring news coming from England. Is it not the duty of the body that controls Indian cricket to remedy and remove the root causes undermining the spirit of the team? How long is this waste of energy and wealth to be tolerated to maintain the false prestige of Indian Princes and alien Managers appointed to lead.—Yours, etc.,

ARDESHIR EDALJI BENGALI.

POINTS FROM LETTERS

Hindi Dictionary

HINDI STUDENT refers to the difficulty caused to the students of that language, by there not being available any standard Hindi Dictionary in the market at present, and requests the publishers to expedite the bringing out of revised editions of same.

Neutral

A JAIN deplores the step taken by orthodox Jains in ex-communicating Mr. P. Kapadia, and also the acts of hooliganism indulged into by some youths in the recent meeting at Ahmedabad.

Jobs

M. I. ALI pleads for a more equitable distribution of jobs in the Bombay Municipal Corporation among the various communities, and particularly requests the Muslim councillors to look into the question of Muslim employment

Cattle Breeding & Fodder

To The Editor of "The Chronicle."

Sir,—Cattle breeding and fodder are the two broad questions to which His Excellency has been inviting popular support as these constitute the prime basis for agricultural advancement.

Grass grows everywhere and what is needful, in the first instance, is for some one to give demonstration in proper season when the grass is fit for the silo and this can be done by the Kamgars (Fieldmen) of the Agricultural Department who visit almost all villages of agricultural importance. Once the method of preparing the silo and packing it with green grass is shown it would be work well begun. The grass once cut at its proper stage of growth would allow the live stubble to yield a second crop, which can be gathered in the usual way; and the two crops would augment the fodder supplies to advantage our cattle. The silaged grass being highly concentrated fodder needs to be allowed in measured quantity mixed with the dry grass. The feeding value of the silaged grass is already established. It is not only the grass that is good for being preserved in the silo but other green fodder crops can be conserved in the same way as is done in the agriculturally advanced countries by the cultivators.

In 1914 when I ran the Kanara District Agricultural Show I had a silo prepared for demonstration and the silaged grass that was exhibited was well admired by the then Collector, Mr. G. Monteath and the Assistant Collector, then Mr. H. R. Gould, who both did quite much to lend success to the Show. The silaged grass has a very inviting flavour and it attracts the cattle even from a distance. The silo would indirectly help doubling the fodder supply. I do quite admit that the hay made by our peasants when the grass is quite dry and dead has no nutritive value and even then this same dead grass would be needed for being mixed with the silaged grass. The green grass put in the silo turns to greenish golden yellow. The feeding value of the silaged green grass would be enhanced if a little of salt is sprinkled over each layer of the green grass when it is packed closely in the silo because the cattle relish the salt and they need a small allowance of salt to keep them fit.

There is in almost each district an Officer of the Agricultural Department with trained Kamgars under him and he can judiciously programme demonstrations in large village centres. It would be so nice if the demonstrations get arranged this very season when the first crop of the green grass would be available for the silo. It is common experience of agriculturists that the quality of the grass improves if once it is cut before flowering. Firing the grass land occasionally is also recognised to be another way of encouraging better growth, however much the Forest Department may be hostile to this method of cultivation, in which the cultivator has great faith because on account of his experience of ages.

Our cultivators are a little conservative but when once a thing is well explained to them and the advantage of a new system or practice is helped to be realised, they would never fail to borrow it and stick to it. Only those who desire the betterment of the peasants need have patience with them until the peasants acquire faith in the things taught to them.

Improvement of the breed of our cattle is a vast question but to the able to reach the improvement in the breed the interdependent question of fodder needs to be first solved.

Our cattle, principally those of the Konkan tract, are the poorest species because the sustenance they get is the poorest imaginable. Those who tend these cattle are proverbially poor and have neither the means to feed themselves well nor take better care of their farm animals. The famished cattle chiefly subsist on the dead grass which gives them least nutrition and when the hay stack is finished they have to go in search of dead stubble of grass on the hill side. Stall feeding is not much known in the case of the plough cattle because on account of their owners' poverty. In such areas like the Konkan tract the question of improvement of the cattle breed ought to come for consideration only after the question of fodder is fully solved. Grass lands of the villages need better handling.

In all sincerity the Viceroy has ably and lucidly brought the two issues—cattle breeding and fodder—on the anvil and it now much rests with the local administrations and the agricultural masses and their educated leaders to shape the courses to arrive at the desired results to help advancement of our agriculture.—Yours, etc.,

B. M. B.

Wodehouse Road,
Colaba, Bombay.

A Few Suggestions To B. B. & C. I. Ry. Authorities

To The Editor of "The Chronicle"

Sir,—Re. excess fare: It is now leviable from a particular station even if one starts from any of the intermediate stations. This not equitable when a passenger (owing to want of time) informs the guard or any responsible officer at the station of his not being able to purchase a ticket,—he should be given a written permit on payment of the usual fare. If one not being able to report to the guard and be found travelling without any ticket, he should be charged excess from the previous checking station and if any "bona-fide" (having luggage, etc.) passenger be found without any ticket, he should be charged double the rate and if "non-bona-fide," he should be charged any way the Company thinks best and punished to the utmost.

(2) re: overcrowding: From Friday to Monday, almost all night trains are found very much overcrowded from the Central Station though there is a limit of 10 passengers in every compartment. Sometimes more than 15 passengers are allowed to remain or ushered into not owing to any fault of the passengers but owing to scarcity of coaches. At night not more than 8 passengers should be allowed in one compartment and if there be any excess, more space should be provided by supplying more coaches at big stations such as Dadar, Bandra, Borivli, Virar, etc.

(3) re: timings: No train starts from the Central Station between 1-30 p.m. and 8-30 p.m. an interval of 7 hours; while a number of trains start between 8-30 and 10-30 p.m. and only one of them may be taken a bit convenient to passengers upto Surat. The others reaching Surat at midnight and thereafter and many of them not stopping at important stations. It is, therefore, suggested that a 3 p.m. fast train (like 8-45 a.m. train should run if not far off but upto Surat at least.

(4) re: booking: Passengers should be booked by the mail trains for the stations where the train stops even for water, for example. The up Gujarat mail stops at certain stations, viz., Navsari, Surat, etc., for 10 minutes and yet no passengers are allowed to be booked for these stations. If it is absolutely necessary to avoid any rush of passengers by this train for stations like Navsari, Surat, etc., the Company may well charge Re. 1 extra for such stations to travel in case of necessity. It will very much facilitate travelling for passengers to Surat, because it reaches the place before mid-night.—Yours, etc.

M. B. G.

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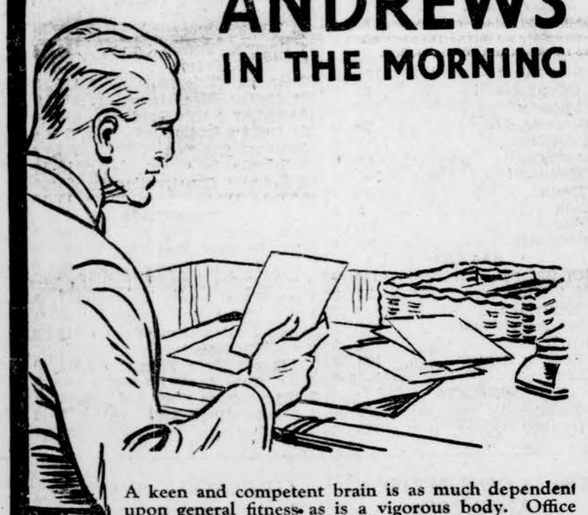

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SPANISH CRISIS DISTURBS SECURITY MARKET

Weekly Market Reviews

(From Our Special Correspondent.)
Bombay, Aug. 14.

MONEY.

There is no change in the monetary situation, call funds being available at 1/2 per cent. The return on three months' Treasury Bills this week was Rs. 0-7-0 per cent (.4375 per cent) compared to Rs. 0-6-11 per cent last week. Maturities of Rs. 2 crores were offset by renewals. However, about Rs. 39.33 lakhs were put on the market by Government through the purchase of £295,000 sterling. Government have borrowed from the Reserve Bank of India Rs. 4 crores against Ways and Means Advances. Fixed deposit rates are unchanged at 1 and 1 1/4 per cent for three and six months respectively.

RESERVE BANK.

The Reserve Bank of India statement for the week ended August 7, 1936, shows a decrease of Rs. 24.76 lakhs in the total notes issued against a corresponding decline of Rs. 24.92 lakhs in Rupee coin. Notes in circulation increased by Rs. 3.25 crores to Rs. 163.87 crores while those held in the Banking Department fell by Rs. 3.49 crores to Rs. 37.51 crores. Sterling securities were unchanged at Rs. 67-32 crores whereas Rupee securities slightly decreased by Rs. 16 lakhs. Government Deposits, which include £44,400 held in London on account of the High Commissioner converted at 1s. 6d. to the rupee, dropped by Rs. 27.92 lakhs. Banks' Deposits rose by Rs. 81.07 lakhs. Balances held abroad were up by Rs. 16.34 lakhs to Rs. 3.30 crores. Loans and Advances to the Government increased by Rs. 4 crores. Investments and Other Assets were down by Rs. .65 lakhs and Rs. 1.39 lakhs respectively. The bank rate is unchanged at 3 per cent.

IMPERIAL BANK

The Imperial Bank of India statement as on August 7, 1936, shows an increase of Rs. 84.79 lakhs in the total cash balance of the bank, which now stands at Rs. 22.65 crores. Total value of securities have risen by Rs. 16.32 lakhs to Rs. 43.72 crores. Loans are up by Rs. 18.80 lakhs. Cash credits and Bills discounted are down by Rs. 10.26 lakhs and Rs. 3.55 lakhs respectively. Deposits on all accounts show an increase of Rs. 111.22 lakhs to Rs. 80.23 crores. It is understood that the Imperial Bank of India advance rate is unchanged at 3 per cent.

GILT-EDGED MARKET.

During the early part of the week the gilt-edged market was under the influence of the disturbing news of the political complications in Europe arising from the Spanish crisis, which further depressed the prices. 3 1/2 per cent Rupee Paper dwindled to Rs. 99-3 on Saturday. In mid-week, however, the steady undertone re-asserted itself and the prices of almost all scrips registered an advance. The market lacks stimulus owing to the absence of any improvement in the European situation. 3 1/2 per cent Rupee Paper advanced and closed at Rs. 99-8. 2 3/4 per cent 1948-52 new loan moved between Rs. 100-11 and Rs. 100-12; 3 1/2 per cent 1947-50 loan between Rs. 107-9 and Rs. 107-8; 4 per cent 1943 bonds between Rs. 111-3 and Rs. 111-2 and 5 per cent 1940-43 loan between Rs. 111 and Rs. 110-15. 3 per cent 1951-54 loan kept steady at Rs. 103-13 and 3 per cent 1941 loan at Rs. 104-4. 4 per cent 1960-70 loan after slightly easing to Rs. 114-12 closed at Rs. 114-14. 5 per cent 1945-55 (tax free) loan after declining from Rs. 120-15 to Rs. 120-12 closed at Rs. 120-13. 4½ per cent 1955-60 loan closed at Rs. 119-5; 5 per cent 1939-44 loan at Rs. 108-8 and 5 1/2 per cent 1938-40 loan at Rs. 107-8.

EXCHANGE.

Sterling exchange ruled quiet but steady during the week, with sellers of ready T.T. at 1s. 6 3/32d. and buyers at 1s. 6 1/8d, some business passing through occasionally at the middle rate. Fresh business for the export of gold was small as also the showing of merchandise export bills. Tenders to Government amounted to £295,000, which were accepted in full at 1s. 6 1/8d.

The persistent weakness of the French franc in terms of sterling was the feature of the London foreign exchange market. The Paris/London cross rate opened at frs. 76.18 and after advancing to frs. 76.40 early in the week receded to frs. 76.25 but closed at frs. 76.35. The London/New York cross-rate moved in sympathy with the London/Paris rate. It opened at dol 5.01 15/16 and after improving to dol 5.02 7/8, closed at dol 5.02 11/16. The belga and the guilder fluctuated between 29.85 and 29.80 and 7.41 1/4 and 7.39 1/2 respectively. The Italian lira finished at 63.81.

GOLD.

The steady and persistent improvement of sterling in terms of the dollar and the gold currencies was responsible for a further decline in the price of gold in the local market. The quotation for ready dropped from Rs. 34-4-6 to Rs. 34-3-6, on Saturday last. The market, however, showed resistance at this level, and later the prices improved somewhat, ready advancing to Rs. 34-4-0. Some business was reported to have been put through at the lower levels. The price of gold in London opened at 138s. 6d. and after falling to 138s. 4d. moved up to 138s. 6d on Tuesday last. It again declined and closed at 138s. 4d. Last week's shipments per s.s. "Ranchi" to London and "Pres. Harrison" to New York were valued at Rs. 56.68 lakhs and Rs. 21.01 lakhs respectively. The price of spot sovereigns after moving between Rs. 21-15-6 and Rs. 21-14-6, closed at Rs. 21/15. The highest and lowest rates in our market were Rs. 34-4-6 and Rs. 34-3-6 for ready, Rs. 34-4-9 and Rs. 34-3-9 for September 3 settlement and Rs. 34-5 and Rs. 34-4-0 for October 2, settlement. Stocks on hand are estimated at about 1 lakh of tolas while the daily arrivals average about 10,000 tolas. The offtake average about 3,000 tolas a day. The week's total imports amounted to Rs. 1,34,528 in bar and coin.

SILVER.

Barring a temporary spurt in the price of ready silver from Rs. 48-14 to Rs. 49-2 there was no change of consequence in the local silver market. The improvement in the rate was brought about by speculative buying during the early part of the week The price, however, receded to the opening level and ruled steady around Rs. 48-11. Stocks on hand are estimated at about 10,000 bars. The daily offtake averages about 110 bars a day. The week's imports amounted to about 3,373 bars from London and Australia and Rs. 4,005 in coin. The highest and lowest rates in London were 19 11/16d. and 19 9/16d. for spot and two months forward; and those in our market were Rs. 49-2 and Rs. 48-10 for ready and September 5, settlement and Rs. 49-3 and Rs. 48-11 for October 4, settlement. The Shanghai dollar was quiet but steady at 1/2 13/32.

SHARES.

On the Stock Exchange price movements were irregular during the week, but the tendency on the whole was downward. The political uncertainties caused hesitancy among dealers and there was a tendency on the part of holders to take profit. The tone at the close was uncertain. Tata Defds. and Ordys after an initial rise to Rs. 723-12 and Rs. 184-4 respectively, declined to Rs. 707 and Rs. 181-4, but improved and closed at Rs. 715 and Rs. 182-12 respectively. Cotton mill shares sagged in sympathy with the price of raw cotton: Bombay Dyeings from Rs. 686-4 to Rs. 673-2; Centurys from Rs. 152-8 to Rs. 142-8; Central Indias from Rs. 244-6 to Rs. 230 and Gokaks from Rs. 207-8 to Rs. 202-8. Hydro-electrics were quiet but steady: Andhra Valleys at about Rs. 1,640 and Tata Powers at about 1,623-12. Bank shares were easier. Centrals declined from Rs. 35-4 to Rs. 32-12; Imperial fully paids from Rs. 1,587-8 to Rs. 1,572-8 and Contributories from Rs. 395 to Rs. 391-4. Reserves were on offer at Rs. 135-8. Cement shares were featureless: Bundis closed at Rs. 37-4; Indians at Rs. 509-6 and Shahabads at Rs. 495. In miscellaneous shares, Bombay Burmas eased to Rs. 495-10 on profit-taking. Belapurs after moving narrowly closed at Rs. 204-6. Scindia Steams and New Indias closed at Rs. 18-12 and Rs. 46-4 respectively.

RAW COTTON OUTLOOK

Study Of The Last Bureau Report

Messrs. Langley and Co. have issued the following weekly cotton market report:—

Details of Saturday's bureau, State by State, together with final figures for last year make interesting reading.

State.	Yield in lbs. per acre		Crop (in thousands).	
	Estd. 1936-7.	Actual 1935-6.	Estd. 1936-7.	Actual 1935-6
Virginia	220	273	25	30
North Carolina	250	294	501	572
South Carolina	200	261	586	744
Georgia	190	235	910	1,059
Florida	165	165	30	31
Missouri	400	280	287	177
Tennessee	250	206	403	317
Alabama	220	226	1,065	1,059
Mississippi	285	228	1,710	1,259
Lauisiana	245	218	678	556
Texas	155	133	3,850	2,956
Oklahoma	90	117	465	567
Arkansas	250	191	1,272	853
New Mexico	450	398	101	75
Arizona	390	405	161	135
California	550	524	419	239
All others	345	193	18	9
Total	199.7	186.3	12,481	10.683

Yields follow closely the crop reports which preceded the Bureau insofar as the Eastern Belt is less satisfactory than last year, the Central belt in excellent condition, Texas rather better than last year while there can be no complaint of any overestimate in drought striken Oklahoma where the yield is placed as low as 90 lbs.

As the Bureau figure of 12,481,000 bales exceeded the general anticipation of the trade by little more than quarter of a million bales—a relatively small difference on a crop of 12 1/2 millions—there cannot be any serious criticism of the official estimate.

But excellent weather will be necessary to maintain the very high promise held out in the Central Belt where, for instance, in Missouri (1/4 million bales) the condition figure was placed as high as 90 per cent and the yield 400 lbs. In Mississippi (1 3/4 millions) also the condition was estimated at 86 per cent. Texas at 72 per cent, with a yield 12 lbs. per acre larger than last year pointing to a crop larger by almost one million bales, does not look underestimated.

FULL ESTIMATE.

Broadly, it would seem that the U. S. Government have estimated on the full side and the trade will be quick to notice any adverse weather reports likely to upset their somewhat generous calculations.

Looking ahead, we would place, on average weather, a likely price range for the remainder of the season between 11 cents and 13 cents.

Seasonal hedge selling is approaching. That is important insofar as there must be almost record commitments for early deliveries of new crop. Most, if not all, those commitments must be protected by October hedge purchases. As the crop moves Octobers will be unloaded. We look for the gradual establishment of carrying premiums in the New York market—a welcome sign of a return to normality.

On the basis of consumption the market is still fundamentally sound. A crop of 12 1/2 millions is, in our opinion, one million bales less than probable world requirements of American cotton.

It is improbable that fluctuations in the near future will be large but in easy markets we recommend purchases for moderate profits.

SHIPPING NEWS

ARRIVALS

Killick Nixon and Coy's s.s. St. Dunstan of 3566 Reg. tons Capt. R. J. Bradley arrived from Calcutta via Marmagoa with cargo of coal.

Volkart Bros.' s.s. Silvereim of 2637 Reg. tons Capt. J. W. R. Thomson arrived from San Pedro via British Columbia, South African Ports and Marmagoa with cargo of Chrome Ore.

DEPARTURE

Scindia Steam Nvg. Coy's s.s. Jalajyoti of 2698 Reg. tons Capt. J. T. Denby sailed for Calcutta via Madras with local cargo.

LOADING

The following steamer entered for loading on 14-8-36.

S/S. Liebenfels (L.E.) for Europe and American Ports via Karachi and Aden.

London Share Quotation

London, Aug. 11.

Messrs. Lewis and Jones, Bombay, have received the following quotations by cable from their London Agents:

Names.	Latest Prices.
Rosterman Gold Mining Ordinary	£0 6 6
Guest, Keen and Nettlefold Ld.	1 15 3
Turner and Newall	4 10 3
Associated Electric Industries	2 12 0
Attock Oil	0 19 9
Associated Portland Cement	4 18 3
International Automatic Telephones	2 9 3
American Rolling Mills Co.	dol 28.00
Beira Railways	1 2 3
United Br. Oilfields of Trinidad	0 13 0
Marconi International Marine	1 14 0
Western Union Telegraph	dol 89.00
General Electric Ordinary	4 4 3
Fairey Aviation Co. Ld.	1 3 9
Perak Hydro Electric Ordinary	1 7 9
International Rlys. of C. America	dol 7.00
Malayalam Plantations	1 13 3
British Burma Petroleum	0 8 0
Soudan Plantation Syndicate Ord.	1 18 0
British South Africa (Chartered)	1 8 0
Pahang Consolidated Ord.	0 14 6
Indian Copper Corporation Ord.	0 3 10½
Brazilian Traction Light and Power	dol 11.75
The Lambert Company	dol 17.50
Timken Roller Bearing Co.	dol 64.75
American Can Company	dol 123.00
General Foods Corporation	dol 38.50
British Treasury Bills (3 months)	0.10. 6.04% p.a.

Produce Receipts

Bombay, Aug. 14.

	Cwts.
Wheat	20,714
Linseed	14,241
Rape, Rai and Mustardseeds	108
Groundnuts	26,770
Castorseed	3,425
Rice	22,520
Myrabollams	661
Cottonseed	4,237
Mowraseed	276
Gram	1,752
Joowar	635
Bajree	669
Indian Sugar	2,083
	Tons.
Coal	560

THE PRIVILEGE.

Returning to one's office after dinner is not a form of amusement even a cotton man would normally nominate for a Saturday evening. But Bombay was given the privilege of translating into price movement, first of all markets, its verdict on the U. S. Government crop estimate.

That verdict was confused but bearish. We suspect that Bombay was discounting a slightly larger figure than, for instance, Liverpool. Even so there was disappointment in 12 1/2 millions

The Broach April-May contract was, however, well liquidated before the Bureau and Broach April-May is expected to open this morning at Rs. 210 1/2, only Rs. 2 under the quotation of a week ago.

Although there is still very considerable room for a broadening in export inquiry, both Lancashire and the Continent are taking rather more interest in Indian cotton, particularly Karachi styles.

Japan is only a very moderate buyer and is still waiting for an opportunity to pick up cotton concentrated in the hands of the local bull party.

BUSINESS UPSET.

In the spot market business is still being very considerably upset by the fact that the bull group, holding a controlling interest at least so far as basis is concerned in styles tenderable against the Broach July-August contract, give no clearly defined indication as to their selling policy.

It is reported that some 50,000 bales of Dhollerahs have been taken over from the bull group by a local syndicate. If that rumour is confirmed it will no doubt relieve some of the congestion in the bull group's warehouses. Nevertheless it is fairly obvious that this cotton has not been accumulated merely for the purpose of being looked at. So large a quantity concentrated in one quarter where there must be a desire to unload on a favourable opportunity cannot do other than adversely affect spot prices.

Monsoon reports are still somewhat mixed. Floods continue in the United Provinces. Central Provinces, the Berars and Central India are favourable. Khandeish, although it had light showers, still requires more rain. In Broach, Gujerat and Kathiawar also there is a need for further rainfall.

Our Karachi office report that Sind promises well but crop reports from the Punjab appears to be slightly spotted and rains in many areas would be welcome.

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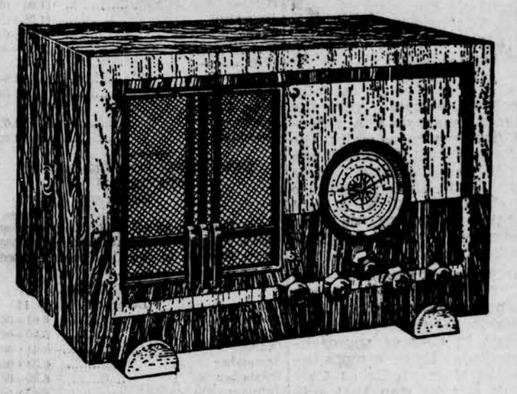

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RISE AND FALL IN COTTON PRICES

Speculative Buying And Realising On Forecast Of Showers

BOMBAY, August 14.

There are reliable reports that the U. S. Cotton Crop is badly deteriorating in the West Belt.

The New York Cotton Market was firm on active speculative buying during the early part of the day, but later prices declined on realising influenced by private forecast of showers over North-West Belt.

Bombay, August 14.

On Thursday the New York cotton futures market opened very steady and advanced on continued dry weather and Commission Houses buying and foreign buying. Offerings were limited and hedging was moderate. Trade was a fair buyer but demand was chiefly of a speculative nature with some re-instating by sold-out longs. Finally the market reacted partially on realising and liquidation influenced by private forecasts of showers. Western Belt was clear and excessively hot with no relief in sight. The official forecast indicates generally fair weather. Drought area is enlarging. South Carolina received heavy rain. Elsewhere there had been no falls. Some cables indicate that the next Bureau may show a reduction of five lacs bales whilst the Dallas News Record state that the drought in Texas is worst since 1922. The N. Y. Cotton Exchange Service estimates U. S. A. mill consumption for July 581,000 bales. The Government figure for June was 556,000 bales.

So far there is no relief and the U. S. cotton crop is losing ground under excessive heat. At the moment there is speculative buying but in view of approaching movement there is more inclination to clear profits as they accrue. It can be seen that private forecast of showers influenced heavy realising and all the improvement was lost.

The New York Cotton market opened at a rise of 8 points with October 12.03. Under speculative buying prices recorded a further rise of 6 points and October was quoted 12.09 which was the highest level for the day. At this level there was long liquidation and realising which resulted in a decline of 15 points from the highest level and the market closed unchanged to 2 points down. Spot cotton prices also declined one point at 12.59c. per lb.

The New Orleans cotton futures market was quiet but steady and closed at a rise of 2 to 3 points. Spot cotton prices were reduced 3 points at 12.39c. per lb.

The Liverpool cotton futures market opened very steady at a rise of 7 points with October 6.45. There was Bombay and Straddle selling which met with trade calling, short covering and speculative buying on unfavourable weather reports and October was quoted 6.48 which was the highest level. There was a continued support on bullish weather reports. Prices later reacted on local liquidation and disappointing New York advices. The market closed barely steady at a rise of 6 points. Middling American spot cotton prices advanced 6 points at 6.98d. per lb.

East Indian cotton futures market was fairly steady and closed at a rise of 6 points. At the close October was quoted 5.43, January 5.40 and March 5.39.

Egyptian cotton futures market was fairly steady with a moderate enquiry. Sakels futures closed 5 to 8 points up and Uppers were 9 to 10 points higher.

The Alexandria cotton futures market ruled steady on Thursday on improved buying. Sakels futures closed 9 to 14 points up and Ashmouni contracts gained 20 to 22 points.

PRIVATE CABLES

N. Y. October Highest (11.-54 a.m.)	12.09+14
N. Y. October Lowest (2-46 p.m.)	11.94—01
Liverpool October Highest	6.48+10
Liverpool October Lowest	6.44+06

Messrs. Chunilal Mehta and Co. have received to-day the following cable information from their Foreign Friends:

Liverpool.—Manchester Daily Dispatch New York correspondent cables, drought is extending. Our opinion is that the long interest is about liquidated. The chances are in favour of a further advance.

New York.—Market governed by weather conditions until crop commences moving. Expect better buying basis. Cotton goods market—yarn market—quiet.

New York.—Trade and foreign buying on continued high temperatures met hedging and local selling.

New York.—Market reacted towards the close on private forecast of showers in North-West. If drought continues in the North-West, market may be forced higher. Advise caution owing to approaching new crop movement. Indifferent demand from mills.

Messrs. Patel Brothers have received the following cables from New York Cotton Exchange Service.

We estimate domestic consumption of all cotton in July at 581,000 bales. The average consumption per working day during the month was 25,300 bales.

Their Liverpool Agents cabled as under:

Between midnight and daylight no precipitation, slightly warmer. Reports of continued deterioration in Western Belt. Hot winds in Western Belt. Would rather keep on the long side for the present. Probable rapid deterioration West.

NEW YORK COTTON.

New York, Aug. 13.

October	11.94—01
December	12.01
January	12.04+01
March	12.07—01
May	12.06—01
July	12.05—02
Middling spot	12.39—01

ORLEANS COTTON.

New York, Aug. 13.

October	11.94+02
December	11.98+02
January	12.00+03
Middling spot	12.39—03
10-55 a.m.—	
October	11 98
December	12.03
Noon Call.—	
October	12.05
December	12.11

NEW YORK COTTON DAILY STATISTICS.

New York, Aug. 13.

	bales.
Day's Receipts at all U.S. Ports	8,000
Day's Exports to Great Britain	4,000
Day's Exports to the Continent	1,000

LIVERPOOL COTTON.

Liverpool, Aug. 13.

August	6.61+06
September	6.50+06
October	6.44+06
November	6.38+06
December	6.36+06
January	6.37+06
February	6.37+06
March	6.37+06
April	6.36+06
May	6.36+06
June	6.35+06
July	6.35+06
August	6.26+01
Middling spot	6.98+06
10-12 a.m. quotations.—	
October	6.45
January	6.37

EGYPTIAN COTTON.

Liverpool, Aug. 13.

F.G.F. Sakellaridis.—	
October	10.66
November	10.46
January	10.00
March	9.74
May	9.54
July	9.39
August	9.39
Middling spot	11.44

INDIAN COTTON.

Liverpool, Aug. 13.

Broach—	
Fully Good (Good staple)	5.49
Fine (Good staple)	5.64
Superfine (Good staple)	5.79
Oomra—	
Fine (No 1 staple)	5.57
Superfine (No 1 staple)	5.72
Choice (No 1 staple)	5.87
Bengal—	
Good	4.50
Fully Good	4.60
Fine	4.72

LONDON STOCK EXCHANGE.

London, Aug. 13.

Rupee Paper 3 1/2 per cent	£74
Indian Stock 3 per cent 1948 or later	£87 1/8
Indian Stock 3 1/2 per cent 1931 or later	£99 5/8
Indian Stock 4 1/2 per cent 1950/55	£116 1/2
Consols 2 1/2 per cent	£85 1/8
Conversion Loan 3 1/2 per cent 1961	£108 1/8
War Loan 3 1/2 per cent 1952	£106 3/4
Funding Loan 4 per cent 1960/69	£118 1/8
Victory Bonds 4 per cent	£116 1/2
Chartered Bank of India, Australia and China	£15
Hongkong and Shanghai Bank (London reg.)	£101 1/2
National Bank of India	46 3/8
P and O Banking Corporation	£10

LONDON DISCOUNT RATES

London, Aug. 13.

Bank Bills 3 months market rate 9/16 per cent to 9/16 per cent.
Bank Bills 6 months market rate 5/8 per cent to 11/16 per cent.
Fine Trade Bills 3 months market rate 2 per cent to 2 1/2 per cent.
Fine Trade Bills 6 months market rate 2 1/2 per cent to 3 per cent.

EXCHANGES.

London, Aug. 13.

T. T. London on:—	
New York (Closing rate)	5.02 11/16
Paris	76.35
Berlin	12.49 1/2
Madrid	37.00
Amsterdam	7.40 1/2
Brussels	29.85
Milan	63.81
Berne	15.42 1/2
Prague	121.50

LONDON SEEDS.

London, Aug. 13.

Linseed La Plata Hull C. I. F. Aug. sellers	£12/10/0
Linseed Calcutta London C. I. F. Aug/Sept. sellers	£14/7/6
Linseed Bombay London C. I. F. Aug/Sept. nominal	£15/15/0
Rapeseed Toria Hull/Cont. C. I. F. Aug/Sept. sellers	£13/15/0
Castorseed Bombay Hull C. I. F Aug/Sept. sellers	£13/7/6

LINSEED OIL.

London, Aug. 13.

Linseed Oil, naked London per cwt. August sellers	26/6
Linseed Oil, naked London per cwt. Sept/Dec. sellers	26/7 1/2

NEW YORK COFFEE.

New York, Aug. 13.

Rio Coffee (No 7 quality)

BOMBAY COTTON

Bombay, Aug. 14.

Following a small decline of one point in New York cotton futures, the local market opened to-day at Rs. 215/ for Broach A/M. delivery and declined to Rs. 214/4 on scattered long liquidation. Later on there was some buying and prices improved to Rs. 214/8 while Broach J/A. was quoted at Rs. 224/4.

The weather map and rain forecast is unfavourable. There is no current and except little rain at four stations there was no rain in any part of the country. Gujarat reports are alarming where crops are rapidly deteriorating. Subsoil moisture is defective and there is a general fear of a worst famine. In this state our cotton price cannot decline and any decline in American cotton will have no response.

The Liverpool market was due to open at a rise of 2 points on parity with overnight New York closing quotations and the opening prices were 2 points down but later were quoted unchanged which influenced some buying in the local market and Broach A/M. was quoted at Rs. 215. To-day being Jain Holiday, the market closed at 3 p.m. as under:—

	Rs. a. p.
Broach J/A.	224 12 0
Broach A/M.	215 4 0
Oomra D/J.	196 4 0
Bengal D/J.	159 8 0

Official Cotton Room Rates

Bombay, Aug 14

	Extra Sup Fine	FG	Good
M G—			
Broach No. 2	233	229	226	222
Punjab-Ame	241	237	234	230
Surat	266	262	259	255
Rajpipla	263	259	256	253
Navsari	272	268	265	261

Ready Cotton Quotations

Bombay, Aug. 14.

C.P. 1 Fine	208/210
C.P. 2 Fine	204/206
Arvi Fine	204/206
Ellichpur Fine	205/207
Berar Fine	203/205
Khamgaon Fine	203/205
Mulkapur Fine	197/199
Khandesh Fine	197/199
Jalna/Sailu	200/202
Burwah Sanavad	203/205
Mathia	185/190
Broach Fine	219/224
Dhollera	209/219
Punjab/American	209/219
Sindh-American	209/219
Cambodia	254/259
Compta	206/212
Westerns	212/217
Miraj	209/212
Jagadia Ankleshwar	246/249
Surat	249/251
Navsari	259/261
Kampala	347/349
Manza New	319/321

Indian Cotton Figures

Bombay, Aug 14

RECEIPTS INTO BOMBAY

In full-pressed bales	Yesterday.	Since 1st Sept This year.
Khandesh	762	306,707
Central India	240	290,214
Barsi and Nagar	...	176,073
Hyderabad Gaorani	...	41,614
Berar	109	343,480
Central Provinces	...	99,579
Total Oomras	1,111	1,259,667
Dholera	1,837	333,131
N W Provinces	...	63,996
Rajputana	...	115,234
Sind-Punjab	462	468,868
Broach	526	412,679
Coompta and Dharwar	1,681	108,527
Westerns-Northerns	...	76,972
Cocoanada	...	151
Tinnevelly and Cambodia	...	20,266
Persian	...	9
American	...	27,023
Egyptian and African	102	257,077
Comilla, Burma and other sorts	...	482
Total	5,719	3,144,082

Exports From Bombay

1st Sept to 6th Aug

In full-pressed bales	Yesterday.	This year.
Europe	3,231	502,896
Japan and China	2,200	1,099,447
Coast Ports	...	37,511
Up-country by Rail	...	215,912
Afloat in harbour for Europe, China and Japan	...	16,730
Total	5,431	2,182,496

Cotton Arrivals

Receipts into Bombay on 12th August	2,431
Receipts into Bombay to date since 1-9-1935	3,138,363
Receipts into Bombay same time last season	2,472,638
Increase	665,725

Cotton Straddles

APPROXIMATE DIFFERENCES.

New York—Liverpool:—
Oct. 151 Jan. 126 May 120 at Cross Rate 5.02 27/32.

Bombay—Liverpool:—
Broach A/M. 1937 214/8—Liverpool May 6.34 Rs. 61 1/2 at Exchange 1/6.

Bombay—New York:—
Broach A/M. 1937 214/8—New York May 12.06 Rs. 52 1/2 at Cross Rate 5.02 27/32.

Alexandria Cotton

Alexandria, Aug. 13.

SAKELS—	
November	17.37+09
January	16.87+13
March	16.51+14
SAKELLARIDIS—	
August	13.52+20
October	13.14+21
December	13.10+22
February	13.12+21

MONEY AND EXCHANGES

Bombay, Aug. 14.

B C RATES—	
T T D D	1/6 1/32
LONDON—	
Banks selling T T D D August-December	1/6 3/32
Banks buying T T	1/6 5/32
Banks buying D D	1/6 5/32 Jan. 3/16
Banks buying 3 Mos.	1/6 3/16 Jan 7/32
NEW YORK—	
B C Rate T T	266 3/8
Banks selling T T	264 3/8
Banks buying T T	262 1/4
PARIS—	
Banks selling T T	573
Banks buying T T	583
JAPAN—	
Banks selling T T	77 5/8
Banks buying T T	77 3/8
AMSTERDAM—	
Banks selling D D	55 7/8
JAVA—	
Banks selling D D	55 1/2
HONGKONG—	
Banks selling D D	83 3/8
SHANGHAI—	
Banks selling D D	80 3/8
SINGAPORE—	
Banks selling D D	156 3/8
BERLIN—	
Banks selling D D	93
CROSS RATE—	
New York London 13th instant	5.02 25/32
Japan London 14th instant	1/2 1/16
Java London 14th instant	7.36
Hongkong/London 14th instant	1/2 31/32
Shanghai/London 14th instant	1/2 13/32
London/Paris 13th instant	76.35
London/Belgium 13th instant	29.85
London/Switzerland 13th instant	15.42 1/2
London/Berlin 13th instant	12.49 1/2
London/Stockholm 13th instant	19.39 1/2
London/New York 13th instant	5.02 11/16
London/Amsterdam 13th instant	7.40 1/2
Tone of Sterling Exchange:—Steady.	
Gold 12th instant	£6-18-5
13th instant	6-18-4
Silver London Ready 12th instant	19 9/16
13th instant	19 9/16
Silver London Forward 12th instant	19 9/16
13th instant	19 9/16
Silver New York Ready. 12th instant	45
13th instant	45
London Discounts 3 Mos 12th instant	9/16 p.c.
13th instant	9/16 p.c.
London Discount 6 Mos 12th instant	3/4 p.c.
13th instant	11/16 p.c.
Reserve Bank Rate	3 p.c.
Bank of England Rate	2 p.c.
Money:—	
Call	1/2 p.c
3 Mos.	3/4 p.c.
6 Mos.	1 p.c.
Tone:—Easy.	

U. S. Weather Forecast

Eastern:—Scattered showers.
Central:—Generally cloudy.
Western:—Cooler.

GOLD AND SILVER

Bombay, Aug. 14.

Yesterday London Gold prices declined one penny to £6.18.4. Dollar Sterling cross rate was quoted 5.02 27/32 and London, Paris Exchange was 7 points up at 76.35. London Silver market was dull at prices unchanged. The local market continues featureless with a marked absence of any important business. Prices are fluctuating within a narrow range.

	Gold	Silver
Ready	34/3/9	48/10/0
1st Bhadarva	34/4/0	48/11/0
1st Bhadarva Tejimandi	0/2/0	0/8/0
2nd Bhadarva Tejimandi	34/4/0	48/12/6
2nd Bhadarva Tejimandi	0/4/0	1/0/0

Montreal Silver

Montreal, Aug. 13.

August	44.85
September	44.85—15
December	45.05—10

N. Y. Silver

New York, Aug. 13.

Spot silver prices remained unchanged at 44 3/4 cents.

LONDON SILVER.

London, Aug. 13.

Spot	19 9/16
Forward	19 9/16

LONDON GOLD.

London, Aug. 13.

Gold Bars Fine per oz.	£6/18/4

Bombay Metals

Bombay, Aug 14

London market—	
Standard copper cash (buyers)	£38 15 0
Standard copper 3 months	£39 0 0
Electrolytic copper	£43 5 0
New York market—	
Blue Eagle	10 cents.
Non-Blue Eagle	9 1/2 cents.
Bombay market—	
Yellow metal sheets	Rs. 32 14 0
Copper sheets	Rs. 40 8 0
Tone: Firm.	

LONDON RUBBER.

London, Aug. 13.

Smoked Sheet Standard ribbed lb. sellers	7 11/16

GOVERNMENT SECURITIES

Bombay, Aug. 14.

2 3/4 per cent 1948/52 New Loan 100/13
3 per cent 1951/54 103/12
3 per cent 1941 104/4
3 1/2 per cent G P N Cash 99.8
3 1/2 per cent 1947/50 107/9
4 per cent 1943 111/3
4 per cent 1960/70 114/14
4 1/2 per cent 1955/60 119/6
5 per cent 1939/44 108/8
5 per cent 1940/43 111/1
5 1/2 per cent 1938/40 107/8

TAX FREE

5 per cent 1945/55 Loan 120/12
4 per cent 1954/63 Mysore 111/10
5 per cent 1955 Mysore 124
5 1/2 per cent 1938 Mysore 107/12

CORPORATION LOANS TAXABLE

4 per cent B P T 1947 111
4 per cent M Deb 1974 110/8
5 per cent M Deb 1959 119/4
6 per cent M Deb 1954 131
4 per cent B P T [illegible]
6 1/2 per cent B I T 1937 103.8

Note:—3 1/2 per cent Government Paper opened to-day at Rs. 99/7 and fluctuated within a narrow range with restricted turnover.

Indian Sterling Loans

London, Aug. 13.

3 per cent	87 1/8
3 1/2 per cent	99 5/8
3 1/2 per cent 1954/59	107 3/4
4 per cent 1948/53	110 1/2
4 1/2 per cent 1950/55	116 1/2
4 1/2 per cent 1958/68	118 1/2
5 per cent 1942/47	115
3 per cent 1949/52	101 3/4
2 1/2 per cent British Consols	85 1/8
3 1/2 per cent Conversion	108 1/8
3 1/2 per cent War Loan	106 3/4

Present Yields On Securities

	Rate	Yield.
2 3/4 per cent 1948/52	100/12	2.68
3 per cent 1941	104/3	2.16
3 per cent 1951/54	103/13	2.69
3 1/2 per cent Govt Paper	99/9	3.52
3 1/2 per cent 1947/50	107/9	2.73
4 per cent 1943	111/3	2.36
4 per cent 1960/70	114/14	3.13
4 1/2 per cent 1955/60	119/5	3.16
5 per cent 1939/44	108/7	2.47
5 per cent 1940/43	111	2.40
5 1/2 per cent 1938/40	107/8	2.40
5 per cent 1945/55 T F	120/12	2.63

BANK OF ENGLAND RETURN

London, Aug 13

	This week £
Total Bullion	244,000,000
Public Deposit	17,400,000
(a) Other deposits	136,000,000
Government securities	89,600,000
(b) Other securities	28,200,000
Notes and Coin	53,700,000
Notes in Circulation	450,300,000
Ratio of Reserve to Liabilities	35.02 p.c.
(a) Other Deposits include Bankers	98,000,000
(b) Other securities include Discount and advances	8,900,000

WALL-STREET MARKET

New York, Aug 13

Messrs. Batlivala and Karani have issued the following report showing quotations of the New York Stock Exchange:—

	Dol.
Amer. Power and Light Com.	15
Amer. Power and Light 5 p.c. P.A.	68
Amer. Forn. Power Com.	7
American Tel. and Tel.	175
Western Union Telg.	88 1/2
New York Central	41 3/4
Baltimore and Ohio R. R.	23
Erie R. R.	16
Pennsylvania R. R.	37
Union Pacific R. R.	148
United States Steel	68
Amr. Tobacco B	102
Amr. Steel Foundry	39 1/2
Anaconda Copper Mining	40 1/2
General Motor X.D.	67
Kelvinator	21
American Radiators	22
Socony	14 1/4
Chase Bank	48
National City Bank	43
Int. Nickel of Canada	52 3/4

Market easier; technical correction.
Brokers loans down dol 2,000,000.
Total Business:—1 1/2 million.

American Cotton Figures

F P Bales	1936-37	1935-36
Receipts to date 13-8-36	72000	116000
Receipts yesterday 13-8-36	8000	10000
Exports to date 13-8-36	60000	82000
Stock at Ports 7-8-36	1187000	1078000
Stock at Interior Towns 7-8-36	1166000	1111000
Stock at Liverpool Towns 7-8-36	734000	552000
Visible Supply 7-8-36	3132000	3046000
Quantity in sight 7-8-36	84000	121000
Quantity out of sight 7-8-36	183000	196000

High And Low Cotton Prices

Bombay, Aug. 13.

Broach J/A. Op. 224; Highest 226 3/4; Lowest 223 1/4; Closing 226 3/4.

Broach A/M. 1937 Op. 214 3/4; Highest 216 1/4; Lowest 213 3/4; Closing 216 1/4.

Oomra D/J. Op. 195 1/4; Highest 197 1/4; Lowest 195 1/4; Closing 197 1/4.

Bengal D/J. Op. 159 1/4; Highest 160 1/2; Lowest 159 1/4; Closing 160.

Teji-Mandi for Broach A/M. Settlement (21-8-36) Rs. 4 1/4.

Teji-Mandi for Broach A/May (31-3-31) Rs. 23.

Sampin Quotations

Osaka, Aug. 14.

August	(209.70) 209.10—60
October	(204.40) 204.60+20
November	(201.80) 202.70+90
December	(202.30) 201.90—40
February	(201.50) 201.50

DROP IN COTTON TEXTILE SHARES

Professional Bears Busy In Steels

Bombay, Aug. 14.

The local Share Bazar ruled easy to-day with increased selling pressure in cotton mill shares. Reports of serious drought in many districts with prospects of no relief in the immediate future, there was considerable short selling in cotton mill shares which resulted in a sharp decline.

Unsettled European political situation influenced some buying in Tata Steel shares during the first half of the session and in the absence of offerings prices registered steady improvement and Dfds. were quoted at Rs. 728. Later on in the absence of any support prices declined on professional bear selling and the improvement was wiped off.

At the moment the market is unsettled and price movement is also irregular. There is less disposition to buy but in some sections like cotton mills, the market is oversold. Of course in the face of serious fears of a famine, we cannot look for any buying in cotton mill shares, but we think it risky to sell short at present level. On the other hand it will be advisable to cover sales and to secure profits with a view to re-sell on buldges.

At the moment professional bulls are holding aloof and Bears are predominating. It remains to be seen when bulls re-enter the market, and in the meantime prices are likely to assume a downward tendency.

TEXTILE MILLS.

BOMBAY, Aug. 14.

100 Ahm. Advance	291 14
500 Bombay Cotton	10 0
250 Bombay Dyeing	655 0
250 Bradbury	100 0
100 Century	133 2
100 Central India	220 0
100 Colaba	121 4
100 Coorla	90 0
250 David	60 0
250 Dawn	287 8
1 E. D. Sassoon	0-2-6
100 Finlay	112 8
100 Gokak	197 8
1000 Hindustan	1.720 0
100 Indore	45 0
100 Khatau,	63 12
100 Kohinoor	210 0
250 Laxmi	570 0
100 Madhavji	6 8
250 Madras United	25 0
1000 Morarji	700 0
250 Model	40 0
50 Mysore	85 10
200 New Great	123 2
100 Oosmanshahi	54 0
100 Phoenix	262 8
25 Sassoon Silk	36 0
1000 Sholapur	1.840 0
50 Simplex	62 8
100 Swadeshi	161 0
100 Swan	80 0
25 Tata	9 0
500 Vishnu	1205 0
1000 Western	800 0
BANKS.	
50-100 Baroda	112 8
25-50 Central	33 0
500 Imperial	1572 8
125-500 Imp. County	391 4
50-100 India	134 8
100 Reserve Bank	136 0
5 Union	5-10-6
CEMENTS	
10 Bundi	37 4
70 Gwalior	131 4

ACTIVE SHARES AT A GLANCE.

Bombay, Aug. 14.

Century 142 135 133
Bom. Dyeing 673 675 660 651 653 652 655
Kohinoor 232 218 221 220
Central India 130 118 121 120
New Great 130 122 123
Simplex 65 63 62
Swadeshi 167 161
Bundi 37/4 37/6 37/4
I. Cement 511 506 507
Punjab 26/4
Shahabad 495 493
Andhra 1645 1642 1647 1641 1647
Tata Hydro 179 180/15 180
Tata Power 1630 1626 1631 1620
Tram. Ord. 159/6 159/1
T. Steel Dfd. 721 728 720 722 715 717 712
T. Steel Ord. 183/8 184 183/12 185/8 182/8 182/12
Tata Steel 2nd Pref. 165/12 165
Bellapur 204 206 198/2 199/6
B. Steam 296 295
B. Burma 496 501 492 495 482 485

160 Indian	507	8
40 Katni Def.	2,400	0
100 Katni Ordinary	390	0
75 Okha	285	0
10 Punjab	26	4
100 Shahabad	495	0
70 United	143	8
INSURANCE.		
15-100 Jupiter	13	12
15-75 New India	46	4
200 Oriental	5400	0
10-50 Vulcan	7	11
ELECTRIC.		
100 Ahmedabad Old	192	8
1000 Andhra Valley	1647	8
10 Ajmer	13	12
50 Bombay Tram	159	1
100 Bombay Suburban	215	0
10 Broach	13	4
100 Karachi	241	4
100 Poona	247	0
100 Surat	195	0
100 Tata Hydro	180	0
1000 Tata Power	1620	0
RAILWAYS		
500 Ahmedabad Prantij	931	4
100 C Province	98	8
100 Dhond Baramati	106	0
100 Gujarat	99	0
100 Mandra Bhon	101	8
100 Pachora Jamner	96	4
100 Sara Sirajgunje	101	0
500 Tapty Valley	738	12
MININGS.		
10 Shivrajpur	37	4
30 Tata Steel Def.	712	8
75 Tata Steel Ord.	182	12
MISCELLANEOUS		
100 Alcock	223	2
50 Belapur Sugar	199	6
250 Bombay Steam	295	0
125 Bombay Burma	485	0
50 Bombay Burma Con.	166	4
8sh. Br. B. Petrol	5-6-9	
50 Bombay Telephone	115	0
100 Indian Bleaching	117	8
100 Indian Radio Defd.	540	0
100 Indian Radio Ord.	531	4
1000 Port Canning	576	4
15 Scindia	18	15
30 Premier Construction	83	0
25 Tata Oil	17	10
PREFERENCE		
7 p.c. Andhra Valley	1535	0
6 p.c Bombay Steam	320	0
7 p.c. Bombay Trams	88	0
5 p.c. Central India	532	8
7 p.c. Katni 1st	137	8
7 p.c. Katni 2nd	146	4
7½ p.c Punjab Cement	13	8
7 p.c Tata Hydro	162	8
7 1/2 p.c Tata Power	1.615	0
6 p.c Tata Steel 1st	192	8
7-1/2 p.c. Tata Steel 2nd	165	0
5-1/2 p.c Tata Mill	9	8
7 p.c. Vishnu	662	0

TIN CONSUMPTION ANALYSIS

According to the July issue of the International Tin Research and Development Council's Bulletin, published by the Hague Statistical Office, world apparent consumption of tin in May, 1936, was 1,400 tons lower than in April, and was also lower than the figure for May of last year by about 2,000 tons. The quantity of tin used in manufacture, on the other hand, showed a slight increase in May, and was also higher than a year ago.

In the year ended May, 1936 world production of tin was 152,463 tons against 119,219 tons in the previous year. World apparent consumption in the year ended May 1936 totalled 146,527 tons, showing an increase of nearly 21,000 tons over the total for the previous year. Only two decreases are recorded out of fifteen countries which use more than 5,000 tons of tin per annum: in Germany there was a decrease of 5.4 per cent to 9,388 tons, and in Spain a decrease of 7.4 per cent to 1,500 tons.

The chief increases occurred in the United States of America 30.1 per cent; U.S.S.R. 30.6 per cent; Czechoslovakia 38.4 per cent; Holland 19-1 per cent; Belgium 18-8 per cent; India 13.4 per cent, and the United Kingom 10.7 per cent.

Consumption statistics for the leading countries are quoted in the following table, in tons of 2,240 pounds. It should be noted that no figures are available for Italy since the beginning of 1936, with the result that world consumption for the year ended May 1936 should be rather higher than the figures shown.

	Year ended May 1936 tons	1935 tons	Per cent increase or decs.
U.S.A.	66,288	50,960	+30.1
United Kingdom	23,493	21,215	+10.7
Germany	9,388	9.922	—5.4
France	8,850	8,639	+ 2.4
U.S.S.R.	7,700	5,897	+30.6
Other Countries	30,808	28,899	+ 6.6
Total Apparent Consumption	146,527	125,532	+16.7
Used in manufacture	139,400	130,300	+ 7.0
Change in consumers' stocks	+7,100	—4,800	

CONSUMING INDUSTRIES

World production of tinplate in the year ended May 1936 is given as 3,285,000 tons, against 3,126,000 tons in the preceding year. The world output of motor vehicles in the year ended May 1936 totalled 5,347,000, against 4,286,000 vehicles in the previous year; this represents an increase of more than 24 per cent.

WORLD STOCKS.

The decreasing tendency of consumers' stocks, first indicated in the figures for April, was maintained in May 1936, when the consumption of tin in manufacture exceeded apparent consumption by about 2,000 tons. World visible stocks at the end of June 1936 stood at 15,536 tons, against 17,461 tons at the end of May.

LIVERPOOL WHEAT

Liverpool, Aug. 13.

October	89 7/8d.
December	88 1/8d.
March	88 3/4d.

Chicago Wheat

Chicago, Aug. 13.

September	1.11 7/8c.
December	1.11 3/4c.
May	1.10 1/2c.

Argentine Linseed

Buenos Aires, Aug 13

September	16.12+05
October	16.29+04
November	16.31+07

New York Sugar

New York, Aug 13

September	2.77+02
December	2.67+02
January	2.46+03
May	2.48+03

Latest Commercial News

NEW YORK COTTON 18 POINTS DOWN

Silver Slightly Easy But Wheat Firm

BOMBAY, August 14

On Friday cross rates were featureless.

NEW YORK COTTON WEAK

New York cotton ruled weak on scattered selling on evidences of overbought position of the market.

SILVER SLIGHTLY EASY

London gold was changed but silver was slightly easy.

WHEAT FIRM

Wheat was firm on unfavourable crop reports. Jute was unchanged.

The London Stock Exchange was somewhat neglected. Giltedged securities were quiet but steady. Wall Street was irregular with some losses predominating.

COTTON

LATEST NEW YORK COTTON PRICES

OCTOBER 1936

New York, Aug 14

Previous closing	11.94
To-day's opening	11.86
Difference	—.08
To-day's closing	11.76
Difference	—.18

LIVERPOOL COTTON

OCTOBER 1936

Liverpool, Aug 14

Previous closing	6.44
To-day's opening	6.42
Difference	—.02
To-day's closing	6.38
Difference	—.06

BROACH EXPECTATION

April/May ..... Rs. 212

N. Y. COTTON MARKET

New York, Aug 14

Cotton early developed easier tendency on scattered selling by local interests on evidences of overbought condition of the market but subsequently prices assumed better trend on improved enquiry influenced by reports of deterioration from texas but the demand was not sufficiently aggressive to materially advance the market.

Operations in October began at 11.86 i.e. 8 points lower than previous closing. Prices eased on lower Liverpool cables and hedging and local selling together with some liquidation but thereafter prices rallied on trade support and foreign buying influenced by continued dry weather with October improving to 11.90.

New York cotton finally closed at 11.76 with a decline of 18 points.

NEW YORK COTTON

New York, Aug 14

The following were the opening ranges:—

October (12.05/12.03) 11.87/11.86
December (12.10/12.09) 11.93/11.93
January (12.14/12.12) 11.95/11.95

LIVERPOOL COTTON

Liverpool, Aug 14

The following were the rates at 12-15 p.m.:—

American October (6.46) 6.40
American December (6.37) 6.32
Egyptian October (10.71) 10.58
Egyptian November (10.51) 10.38

BOMBAY COTTON

Bombay, Aug 14

The market was closed at night.

LONDON MARKETS

London, Aug 14

The rates at 3-30 p.m. were as follows.

Tin (£181 3/4 buyers £181 1/2 sellers. Easy) £182 1/2 buyers £182 3/4 sellers. Barely steady.

Lead (£16 3/4 buyers £16 7/8 sellers. Firm) £16 5/8 buyers £16 3/4 sellers. Barely steady

Electrolytic Copper (£42 3/4 to £43 1/4) £43 to £43 1/2

Glasgow Iron (£78) £78

JUTE

New Crop August September (£17 1/2) £17 3/8 sellers

Dunlop August (£20 1/2 sellers) £20 1/2 sellers.

Lightning August (£19 1/4) £19 1/4 sellers.

TEA

Indian Pekoe (0-11 1/2) ...
Indian Pekoe higher (1-4 1/4) ...
Ceylon Pekoe (0-11 1/2) 0-11 1/2
Ceylon Pekoe higher (1-9) 1-9

There were no sales in Indian teas.

RUBBER

Spot (7 5/8 paid and value) 7 5/8 paid and buyers

Forward (7 11/16 paid and value) 7 11/16 buyers

LINSEED.

Castorseed Bombay Aug/Sept. (£13 3/8 sellers) £13 3/8 sellers.

Linseed Calcutta August (£14 3/8 sellers) £14 5/16 sellers

Linseed La Plata August/September (£12 1/2 sellers) £12 3/8 sellers

Groundnuts Coromandal September (£15 13/16 sellers) £15 7/8 sellers

WHEAT AND LINSEED

Closing Quotations

Bombay, Aug 14

Wheat September	5 2 3
Wheat May	5 2 9
Linseed September	8 12 0
Linseed May 1937	8 0 6

The market was quiet.

EXCHANGES

LONDON-NEW YORK CROSS RATE

Latest Quotations

I. T. NEW YORK ON LONDON

New York, Aug 14

Previous closing	5.02 17/32
To-day's opening	5.02 23/32
To-day's rate (at the time of New York cotton closing)	5.02 3/4

I. T. LONDON ON NEW YORK

London, Aug 14

Previous closing	5.02 1/2
To-day's opening	5.02 3/4
To-day's closing	5.02 3/4
Difference	+.00 1/4

FRANC RATE

London, Aug 14

Previous closing	76.35
To-day's opening	76.34
To-day's closing	76.35
Difference	nil

LONDON EXCHANGES

London, Aug 14

London exchanges opened with the sterling dollar at 5.02 3/4 and then advanced to 5.02 13/16 with a steadier tendency.

The sterling dollar cross rate closed at 5.02 3/4

Franc opened at 76.34 and then eased to 76.35 with no further wide movements.

The sterling franc cross rate closed at 76.35.

SILVER CABLES

London, Aug 14

The following cable information was received from London to-night:—

"India sold. China sold. Speculators bought. Market quietly steady.

LONDON SILVER

	Bombay, Aug 14 Last price	To-day's price
Spot	19 9/16d.	19 1/2d.
Forward	19 9/16d.	19 1/2d.

The market was steady.

LONDON GOLD

London, Aug 14

Gold per fine ounce (£6-18-4) £6-18-4

DISCOUNTS

London, Aug 14

3 months (9/16 to 9/16 per cent) 9/16 to 9/16 per cent,

4 months (9/16 to 5/8 per cent) 9/16 to 5/8 per cent

6 months (11/16 to 3/4 per cent) 5/8 to 11/16 per cent.

CROSS RATES

London, Aug 14

3-30 p.m.

London on Bombay	(1-6 1/8) 1-6 1/8
Paris on Bombay	(5.75 3/8) 5.76 3/8
New York on Bombay	(37.95) 37.98
Berlin on Bombay	(0.94 3/8) 0.94 3/8
London on Milan	(63.87) 63.87
London on Shanghai	(1-2 13/32) 1-2 13/32
London on Kobe	(1-2 1/32) 1-2 1/32

BOMBAY BULLION

Latest Quotations

Bombay, Aug 14

11-30 p.m.

	Rs. a. p.
Silver ready	48 10 0
Silver 1st settlement	48 10 0
Silver 2nd settlement	48 11 0
Gold ready	34 3 6
Gold 1st settlement	34 3 9
Gold 2nd settlement	34 4 0
Sovereigns	21 15 6

BROWN BOLD LINSEED

May 1937 delivery.

(Through Bombay Grains and Seeds' Association)

Bombay, Aug 14

Rates at 9-0 a.m.	7 15 9
Rates at 12-0 noon	7 15 3
Rates at 3-0 p.m.	8 0 3
Rates at 5-0 p.m.	8 0 6
Rates at 6-0 p.m.	8 0 0
Rates at 8-0 p.m.	8 0 0
Rates at 10-0 p.m.	7 15 6

CHICAGO WHEAT

Chicago, Aug 14

Chicago wheat opened steady with September at 1,12. Prices advanced on local buying and covering influenced by unfavourable crop advices from abroad.

LIVERPOOL WHEAT

Liverpool, Aug 14

Liverpool wheat opened firm with October at 90 1/2 and December 88 7/8. Prices improved on scattered speculative buying influenced by continued unfavourable crop advices from abroad.

INDIAN STERLING LOAN

London, Aug 14

The 3 1/2 per cent Indian Sterling Loan closed to-day at £99 3/4 as against previous close at £99 5/8.

LONDON STOCK EXCHANGE

London, Aug 14

3-30 p.m.

Home industrials were generally quieter and rather irregular, recent rise inducing profit taking. Foreign bonds were steady to firm. Oils generally were firm.

BRITISH FUNDS

2 1/2 per cent Consols (£85) £85 1/8
3 1/2 per cent Government Loan (£108) £108 1/8
4 1/2 per cent Conversion Loan (£109 1/2) £109 5/8
5 per cent Indian Loan (£117 7/8) £118 1/4
3 1/2 per cent War Loan (£106 5/8) £106 3/4
4 per cent Victory Bonds (£116 3/8) £116 1/2

INDUSTRIALS

British Celanese 2nd Preference (19-3) 19-3
British Celanese 2nd Preference (19-3) 5/8) £4 5/8
Hydro Electric (dol 7 1/2) dol 7 1/2
Musical Industries (22-0) 22-0
Princhin Johnson (48-0) 48-0
Imperial Chemical (40-10 1/2) 40-1 1/2 1/2
Imperial Chemical Ordinary (9-7 1/2) 9-7 1/2
Woolsworth New Ford (140-9) 140-9
Realisation 1930 (£93 1/2) £93 1/4
Dunlop Rubber (36-3) 36-7 1/2
Unilever Ordinary (35-6) 35-6
Ford Motors (32-9) 32-9
Cables and Wireless (£6 3/8) £6 3/8
British American Tobacco (121-10 1/2) 121-3
Carreas A (£9 1/2) £9 1/2
Imperial Tobacco Ordinary (168 1/2) 168 1/2
P and O S N Company Defd (24-1 1/2) 24-1 1/2
Distillers (105-7 1/2) 105-7 1/2
Bredford Dyers (7-10 1/2) 7-10 1/2
British Celanese (10-6) 10-6
J and P Coates Ordinary (54-9) 54-9
Courtaulds Ordinary (49-6) 50-0
Fine Cotton Spinners (8-3) 8-3
Vickers Limited Ordinary (33-6) 33-6
Inter Nickels (£53 1/2) £52 3/4
Bengal Iron and Steel (7-9) 8-6
Tata Iron and Steel (£104 1/2) £104 1/2

INDIAN LOANS

London, Aug 14

3-30 p.m.

3 per cent New Indian Loan (£102) £102
3 1/2 per cent Indian (£99 1/2) £99 1/2
4 1/2 per cent Indian Stock 1950/55 (£116 1/2) £116 1/2
4 1/2 per cent 1958-68 (£118 1/2) £118 1/2
4 per cent Indian 1946/53 (£110 1/2) £110 1/2
5 per cent Indian 1943-47 (£110 3/8) £110 3/4
5 1/2 per cent New Indian 1954-42 (£108) £108

AUSTRALIAN LOANS.

5 per cent Australian Loan (£115) £115

TEA SHARES.

Assam Company (18-0) 18-0
Donaro Tea (43-9) 43-9
Empire of India Ceylon (26-10 1/2) 26-10 1/2

RUBBER SHARES.

Anglo Dutch Rubber (27-3) 27-3
Gula Kelampong (27-6) 28-1 1/2
Rubber Plant Inv Trust (31-4 1/2) 31-4 1/2

JUTE SHARES.

Barnagore (£10) £10

MINING SHARES

Nandy (61-3) 61-3
Burma Corporation (10-4 1/2) 10-9
Rio Tintos (£13 3/4) £13 3/4
East Rand Proprietors (67-0) 67-0
Rand Imam (£9 1/8) £9 1/8

MINE SHARES

Crown Mines (£15 1/8) £15 1/8
Gedule New (£10 1/4) £10 3/8
40-0
New Modders (41-7 1/2) 41-7 1/2
Sub Nigel (£12 1/4) £12 1/4
Spring Mines Split Shares (40-7 1/2) 40-7 1/2
Union Corporation (£9 1/8) £9 1/8

OIL SHARES

Venezuela Persian (40-0) 39-3
Anglo Iranian (90-0) 89-9
Burma Oil (98-1 1/2) 97-6
Mexican Eagle (26-9) 26-9
Shell Transport (105) 104 3/4
Royal Dutch (£38 1/8) £38 1/8

HOME RAIL SHARES

Great Western (£51 1/2) £51 1/2
L and S Ordinary (£28) £27 1/2
L N E R Defd (£6 7/8) £6 7/8
Southern Dutch (£22 7/8) £22 1/2
London Paris 5 per cent (£134 1/2) £134 1/2
London Transport 'C' Stock (£105) £105

NEW YORK STOCK EXCHANGE

New York, Aug 14

The following were the opening rates:—

General Motor (dol 67 3/4) dol 66 1/4
Anaconda Copper Mining (dol 40 1/2) dol 40 1/8
U S Steel Common (dol 69) dol 67 3/8
U S Steel Preference (dol 131 1/2) dol 133

SMALL BUSINESS ON STOCK EXCHANGE

Bengal Iron Shares Move Up

(SPECIAL CABLE)

LONDON, Aug 14

On the Stock Exchange the usual week-end cautiousness was much in evidence and consequently business was small, but apart from reactions in some recent industrial favourites, prices were little changed on balance.

Bengal iron moved up on the announcement of merger with the Indian Iron and Steel Company.

Commodities and exchanges were featureless.

Wall Street was irregular with small losses predominating.

Karachi Market Report

KARACHI, Aug 14

Following are to-day's closing quotations of local markets.

Cotton Sind January	18 5 3
Punjab January	17 1 6
American January	23 5 9

The tone was quiet owing to lower advices from Bombay.

Wheat September	27 15 0
Wheat October	28 6 6

The tone was steady owing to Punjab dealers having bought at closing time.

Toria September	43 10 0
Toria November	44 5 0

The tone was quiet.

Gram September	20 4 6
Gram October	20 15 6

The tone was quiet.

Cottonseed January	18 2 0
Cottonseed September	18 4 0

The tone was quiet but steady.

Raid On Bookshop And Press

LAHORE, Aug. 14.

The Police raided this morning a bookstall on Nisbet Road in quest of "Remaze Ishrat" a book on sexual science proscribed by the Government.

The police seized nearly 800 copies. No arrest was made.

The police further searched the Coronation Press in the same connection and took away some papers, said to relate to the printing of the book.—United Press.

CONGRESS PRESIDENT ON FLOOD HAVOC

(Continued from Page 1 .)

in Gorakhpur districts have been both bigger and more frequent than previous ones. Are these caused, as some people say, by building of embankments and railway lines or other obstructions to free outflow of storm waters? These questions must be tackled by public enquiry conducted by competent engineers.

"Another unfortunate feature of Gorakhpur flood was the suddenness with which it came. There was no warning whatever in the large areas and suddenly at night waters rushed in on the collapse of the embankment and overwhelmed hundreds of villagers.

QUESTION OF RENT AND REVENUE

"An important matter which needs immediate attention is the question of rent and revenue. It is manifest that a vast area of cultivated land has been covered by flood waters and crops completely ruined. It is quite impossible for people concerned—and they number several hundreds of thousands—to pay any rent or revenue. All current rent and revenue as well as arrears for affected land must be remitted. Legal proceedings for realizations of these sums must be stopped forthwith. A moratorium on debts of tenants as well as zamindars affcted is also an immediate necessity. These points have to be stressed, as I was told of instances where coercion was being used by Zamindars' agents to realise rent and surviving cow or bullock was being attached and taken away.

INHUMAN METHODS.

"Under the existing conditions of distress, these methods are little short of inhuman.

"Peasantry who have suffered will have to be provided with seeds free of cost as well as materials for reconstruction of their huts.

"These problems have to be faced. But for the moment the demand for relief in the shape of money and clothes is urgent and I hope this demand will be met generously by people all over the country."—United Press.

Progress Of Indo-Jap Trade Talks

SIMLA, Aug. 14.

A communique states:—Mr. Yonezawa, who has been indisposed for the past two days, again met the Commerce Secretary this morning.

Consideration of proposals and counter-proposals for amendment of the Protocol was continued and a certain amount of progress has been made in clarifying the issues for the delegates.—A. P.

CASE AGAINST CENTRAL BANK

Shamdasani Pleads For More Exhibits

Two ten-year-old bulky files, belonging to the Central Bank, were produced as exhibits at the resumed hearing of the case against Sir Hugh Golden Cocke and three others, auditors of the Bank, at the instance of Mr. P. D. Shamdasani, before Mr. I. S. Haji, Presidency Magistrate, Mazagaon.

A cart-load of books of accounts, was brought to the court.

The accused are charged with issuing a false balance-sheet with a Report, or Declaration or Certificate, containing statements alleged to have been made wilfully and knowingly in the year ending 1925. They are charged under the Indian Companies Act and the Indian Penal Code at the instance of Mr. P. D. Shamdasani.

At the resumed hearing of the case, Mr. Shamdasani called upon the Secretary of the Central Bank to produce "Advance Sheets", in respect of loans, cash credits and demand advances for Rs. 8 crores and over.

When the Bank produced two files of the Advance Balance-sheet of the head office, Mr. Shamdasani wanted them to tender the same as exhibits.

Mr. S. G. Velinker, appearing for the Bank, objected.

Mr. Shamdasani said that those files contained particulars of the accounts making up the figure of loans, cash credits, etc., at the head office, as well as the figure of such loans, cash credits, etc., at the head office, which were considered doubtful. The figures shown in those files might give a clue for the difference of twenty-three lakhs showed in another exhibit already put in, and that they might enable the court to find out whether the auditors ticked off the figures knowingly or wilfully.

"CATCH IN THE AFFAIR"

Mr. Velinker objected on the ground that there was a 'catch' in the whole affair and that Mr. Shamdasani wanted to go back on the order of the Magistrate, namely that Mr. Shamdasani could not put in as exhibits the files without proving the relevancy.

Further, the counsel argued that there were not less than nineteen items under each heading and that Mr. Shamdasani should definitely say which of the items he wanted.

Mr. Shamdasani: Your worship will see that there is such a column as "amount considered bad or doubtful. . . ."

Mr. Velinker: There is no such column.

Mr. Shamdasani: Let his worship see the file.

When the file was taken to the Magistrate, Mr. Shamdasani said that he would point out the column, but Mr. Velinker objected.

Mr. Velinker: "I know Mr. Shamdasani for more years, than your worship does."

The Magistrate replied, amidst laughter, that he should compliment Mr. Velinker.

Mr. Velinker: Your worship may sympathise with me or compliment me.

The Magistrate after looking into the file observed that there was such a column. Mr. Velinker, then, admitted that there was such a column but there were no figures in the column in the whole of the file. After looking into the file again, counsel said that that column had been marked with a blue pencil.

The sheets were, then marked as exhibits for identification and proper proof.

Further hearing of the case was adjourned till August 18.

Mr. Shamdasani appeared in person, while the respondents were defended by Mr. S. G. Velinker.

BAIL FOR GAUBA

Zamindars Appear On Scene

LAHORE, Aug. 14.

The prospect of Mr. K. L. Gauba being released on bail is much brighter to-day, since two Muslim Zamindars from remote villages appeared before the Additional District Magistrate and offered to stand surety for Rs. 75,000 each.

Their papers have been sent to the District Authorities for attestation.—United Press.

Railway Traffic Suspended On B. S. R.

BIKANER, Aug. 14.

The Manager, Bikaner State Railway, wires:

On account of heavy falls of earth in cuttings between Nal and Durbari on the Bikaner Sri Kolayatji Branch, running of trains between Bikaner and Sri Kolayatji is suspended from the 14th till further advice.—A. P.

BOMBAY MUSLIM LEAGUE CANDIDATES

Election Manifesto

The Hon. Secretary of the All-India Muslim League Parliamentary Board of the Bombay Presidency sends us for publication the following manifesto adopted by the Board:—

Members of the Muslim League in the Bombay Legislative Council and the Legislative Assembly pledge themselves to sponsor and support measures for:—

(A) Organisation and development of agriculture:

I. Extension of credit facilities to the cultivators for relief of their indebtedness through co-operative and Land Mortgage Banks and Provision of credit facilities to these banks by the Reserve Bank of India.

II Reduction in present scale of land tax.

III Establishment of Marketing Boards, market-places, stores depots, etc.

IV Establishment of agriculture experimental stations for carrying out experiments with a view to improve and increase the present yield

V Establishment of institutions for giving valuable information to the cultivators by means of radio, pamphlets and lecture courses regarding market conditions, export prospects, agriculture conditions in competing foreign countries, mechanisation of methods of cultivation, etc., etc.

VI Contruction of irrigation works.

VII Improvement of cattle breeding.

(B) Organisation and development of industries and trade commerce, particularly measures for

I rationalisation of industries whenever necessary;

II subsidies and preferences to home industries including cottage industries;

III establishment of technical schools.

(C) The amelioration of the conditions of the working classes and peasantry:

I Fair and equitable wages in agriculture and industries.

II Appointment of trade boards for fixing minimum wages.

III Reduction in the number of hours of work.

IV Workmen's compensation against accidents, etc.

V Giving assistance to local authorities and private enterprise in respect of schemes of slum clearance and for providing new sanitary and cheap houses for the working classes and the peasantry.

(D) Extending and enlarging the scope of the existing social and educational services:

1 Free and compulsory elementary education with due regard to the custom of the community.

II Encouragement of female education by establishment of primary and secondary schools with due regard to the customs of the community.

III Cheap hospitals, dispensaries and maternity homes with special facilities in hospitals and dispensaries for female patients and children.

IV Better sanitary conditions in towns and villages.

V Sufficient provision of pure water by means of wells and other methods that may be possible.

VI Provision of better lighting facilities.

VII Construction and improvement of roads.

VIII Measures calculated to stop the use of alcohol.

(E) The relief of unemployment: Such as unemployment insurance, unemployment bureaus and poor law.

(F) Floatation of loans to defray expenditure which may be incurred in respect of the nation building services.

(G) Measures to effect economies and retrenchments in the administration generally.

(H) Employment of Muslims in the services and securing their due share therein as soon as possible.

(I) Generally to protect and safeguard the rights and interests of the Mussalmans.

ABOLITION OF VILLAGE SCHOOLS

How Education Is Being Encouraged In U. P.

(From Our Correspondent).

ALLAHABAD, Aug. 14.

As a result of Education Department's Weir Committee's recommendation, numerous district board schools in rural areas of Allahabad are being abolished as measure of economy.

It is understood that a meeting of the Education Committee of the Allahabad District Board last evening resolved to abolish fifty more schools in addition to the many schools abolished already. In all 178 schools in the villages of Allahabad alone will be gradually abolished.

This is how primary education is being encouraged in U. P. This abolition appears to be going on in other districts also.

Muslim Trusts

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tion. The Muslim public must, therefore, thank the ex-secretary and congratulate him for his sacrifices and public spirit for the benefit of the Trust. This appreciation need not necessarily mean that there is no need for filling the maximum number, and thereby reducing great responsibilities from their shoulders, should occasion arise, for absence of either or both of them from town. Besides is it not a recognized principle in every organized society to have at least a third man whose judgment may influence decisions in case of divergence of views between two?

I understand that the vacancy of paid secretary has not yet been filled. If it is so it is false economy to carry on management of such a big trust without the whole-time services of an officer, who would carry on work of management methodically regularly and promptly, and who would be responsible to the trustees for all details, and be liable to be prosecuted for acts of misfeasance or breach of trust.

If the trustees will publish a statement as to the actual position of affairs, it will go a long way to clear matters and to stop misunderstanding, if any, with regard to the Trust.—Yours etc.,

A. MUSLIM.

Bombay August 14.

BHAI PAMANAND'S SLANDER OF WOMEN

Exciting Scenes At Maha-Sabha Meeting Leads To Exchange Of Blows

LUCKNOW, Aug. 14.

Rowdy scenes were witnessed this evening at a Hindu Sabha meeting at which Bhai Parmanand was to speak. A number of Congressmen who were present, demanded that Bhai Parmanand should withdraw the remarks he had made against Congress women and apologise before speaking while, Hindu Sabhaites urged them to let him first speak. The climax was reached when both parties came to blows; but the police rushed to the spot and restored order.

Bhai Parmanand then spoke and said he had heard that the Congress hired men and women for going to jail. He added: "I respect those men and women who went to jail after sacrificing everything, but I have no regard for women of questionable character who went to jail to wash their sins." He concluded by declaring he was not prepared to withdraw his remarks or apologies.—A. P.

NED SPARKS & GORDON HARKER IN "TWO'S COMPANY"

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gridge, the rather proud English servant. The rival factions come to blows and then try, not very successfully, to settle their differences in court. But love will find a way, and the two junior members of the families decide to settle their differences after they are married. For a long time it has been a favourite criticism that British films suffered from bad dialogue but in this picture, at least, this defect has been remedied. Snappy lines are the order of the day, which is not surprising for the dialogue was written by J. B. Morton, better known, perhaps as "Beachcomer." If you are not afraid to laugh loudly, this is the picture to see. Much credit must go to the director, Tim Whelan, who keeps things moving at a brisk pace from beginning to end. Besides Harker and Sparks there is a strong supporting cast which includes Henry Holman, Patric Knowles, Mary Brian, Gibb McLaughlin, Morton Selten and Olive Blackeney.

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Plea For Amicable Settlement

"C. R." Requested To Come To Bombay

Dr. T. S. S. Rajan's offer to resign from the Indian Legislative Assembly of which he is a member on behalf of the Congress and from the Presidentship of the Harijan Sevak Sangh of the Tamil Nadu Province has not come as a surprise to leading Congressmen in Bombay.

As a matter of fact, Congress circles here, were expecting it any time, especially in view of his statement, immediately after his nominee's election to the Municipal Chairmanship of Trichinopoly, offering to resign, if it was found that he was in the wrong.

Secondly, the resignation of Mr. C. Rajagopalachariar had only one inevitable consequence as far as Dr. Rajan was concerned—his own resignation from all organisations, directly or indirectly, connected with the Congress.

Situation Delicate

Sardar Vallabhbhai Patel, the Chairman of the Congress Parliamentary Board said that the expected had happened, when asked about Dr. Rajan's resignation. He thought that the situation was so delicate that it would be wrong to talk of disciplinary action. What was needed at the moment was an earnest effort on the part of Congress leaders in Madras to have a heart to heart talk and amicably settle their mutual differences. He earnestly hoped that they will be able to come to an understanding and prevent undesirable developments.

Something Seriously Wrong

Prominent Congressmen in the city hold that no useful purpose would be served by discussing the resignations of both Rajagopalachariar and Dr. Rajan at the meeting of the Provincial Congress Committee of Tamil Nadu. It is considered that the best people who could arrive at a settlement and see that the Congress work in the province is carried on smoothly are Sjt. C. Rajagopalachariar and Dr. Rajan themselves. Having continued to be the leading Congress lights in the Province and having worked shoulder to shoulder for a long time, it is considered quite possible that they will not create a difficult position for Congressmen in the Province.

All that has been happening in Tamil Nadu recently leads one to the only conclusion possible—all is not well with the Congress in Tamil Nadu. Some of the leading Congressmen in the city feel that the resignations were not the result of any immediate cause—the Trichinopoly Municipal Election. There is something much more serious.

Will Gandhiji Be Persuaded?

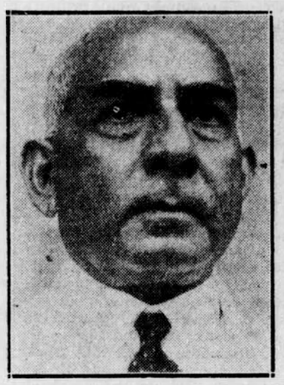
Then the question arises, as to who will be the President of the Congress, if Sjt. Rajagopalachariar definitely gets out of the Congress

Two names are suggested in this connection. It is hoped—it is a remote possibility—by a certain section of Congressmen that Gandhiji might be persuaded to accept the Presidentship of the Congress. It is considered that if Congress needed the guidance of Gandhiji any time—it is now. He is the man who can deliver the goods.

But in case Gandhiji does not come back to Congress Politics, the name of Khan Abdul Gaffar Khan is suggested.

But all this, in case Sjt. C. Rajagopalachariar is not persuaded to withdraw his resignation. Congress circles are very optimistic on the point and it would not be long before Sjt. C. R. does withdraw his resignation and resume his work in his favourite province.

Arrivals By Thursday's Mail Boat



Sir Brojendra Nath Mitter Law Member of the Government of Bengal.

Lt. Sodhbans Singh, Adviser to Indian Employers' Delegation to last session of International Labour Conference.

Sir Shadi Lal, Privy Councillor and ex-Judge of the Lahore High Court.

"Do What Is Humanly Possible"

Rajen Babu Urges Govt. As Well As Public

FLOOD-DISASTER IN BIHAR—AFTERMATH OF EARTHQUAKE OF 1934

PATNA, August 12

Babu Rajendra Prasad has issued to-day the following statement in connection with the flood situation in Bihar.

"Floods have created a most serious situation in several districts of Bihar. During the last three or four days, I have received many reports about havoc caused by floods. In the district of Saran on account of the rise in the Sarju and Ganges and the small rivers in the interior, coupled with heavy rain, the whole length of the district from Guthni in the South-west corner, right down to Sonepur in the south-east corner the sufferings of the people are great. Railway line near Dighwara and Santa is also threatened though till the moment of writing, there had been no breach. Some four to five hundred villages along the whole district have been watered in an around them and houses are falling. Crops are damaged in the district of Muzaffarpur, in Raghopur Diara area and Mahnar area, Ganges flood is causing havoc.

RESCUE BOATS SANK

"We have received reports about two rescue boats being drowned causing many deaths, which are not ascertained. In the district of Monghyr, Begusarai Ballia and Thanas of Khagaria Gogri Surajgarhi, etc., are in similar plight. In Champaran and North of Muzaffarpur, which are unaffected by Ganges flood, we had flood some days ago, which have left their trails of misery and suffering behind. Whatever little relief is possible is being organised and given in affected areas.

One thing is common in all reports which are being received. It is that water as reached points, which were not reached by previous floods, and that water has reached in places, which were never reached by previous flood including those of 1921 1923 and 1934 and unlike all previous floods water has stayed longer than used to be the case in previous years.

When devastation takes place on such an extensive scale, effective relief whether organised by state or private agencies becomes more less impossible. It seems that these floods are becoming normal in their visitation in North Bihar Districts particularly, since the recent earthquake.

It is apprehended with much reason that the earthquake has changed the level of whole area and particularly of river beds and water channels with the result that there is no quick discharge of rain and flood water. This impression is confirmed by slow fall in flood level and by the fact that before earthquake levels don't give correct indication of coming disasters through floods.

LAYMEN'S IMPRESSION

But all this is only laymen's impression without any scientific investigation behind it. Any such investigation is possible only if undertaken by Government in the vast area affected including the most thickly populated and the most fertile tracts, in the districts of Saran, Champaran, Muzaffarpur, Darbhanga, North Monghyr North Bhagalpur and Purnea and the whole length of Ganges on its southern bank. If this vast area and population is to be saved without this annual disaster involving loss of life and immense suffering to men and cattle this investigation is absolutely necessary.

It is impossible to devise or suggest remedies without ascertaining cause and without knowing all facts. If it were a case of occasional floods due to heavy rain, which one expects any such large investigation would be unnecessary but testimony of lay men is insistent and universal that recent floods are different, without floods that used to visit many of these areas before

WAYS TO BE DISCOVERED

We wonder if Government has got any record of previous floods on such scale and of nature experienced now, and if it can arrive at any scientifically correct conclusions on data in its possession. It would seem that such Data are not available. I would therefore, most earnestly urge that ways are to be discovered to meet this terrible situation. If the scheme suggested involves heavy cost, it would be a fit case for financing it with a loan, and the present is most opportune time for cheap loans.

To my mind, the calamity which visits vast areas and which when it doesn't come, keeps them in terrible suspense is such, that it cannot be ignored any longer. The problem is big enough for best experts in the world, and if necessary services of such experts should be obtained from wherever they are available. Opinion of laymen should not be treated with contempt.

I hope public and Government will take due notice of situation and will do what is humanly possible to avoid this annual calamity.

"BLOW TO PRINCIPLE OF ARBITRATION"

Wage Cuts Of Mill Operatives Held As Breach Of Delhi Agreement

AHMEDABAD, Aug. 14.

A notice announcing reduction of wages of the operatives in the weaving department by about 25 per cent has been put up by the New Manekchawk Mill, whereupon an emergent meeting of the joint representative board of the Textile Labour Association was held last night and resolved to request the mill authorities to withdraw the notice as it constituted a breach of the Delhi Agreement and meant a blow to the principle and procedure of arbitration.

The resolution called for immediate intervention by the Millowners' Association saying that grave situation has been created by the action of the New Manekchawk Mill management involving serious consequences to peace, future of the industry and well-being of the working classes.

The resolution also requested the secretary of the Labour Association to communicate the full details of the present dispute to Mahatma Gandhi and approach him for advice.—A. P.

LAD OF 14 ON LECTURE TOUR

Indian Boy Prodigy Wants To Bring About Universal Brotherhood

M. Nagarajan, the boy prodigy from Mysore, paid a visit to the "Chronicle" office on Thursday afternoon.

This boy who is hardly fourteen, left Mysore with his father, a school teacher, nearly a year and half ago and went to Benares, where he received the necessary training from his father. He started on a lecturing tour three months ago and

M. NAGARAJAN

delivered lectures on varied subjects mostly religious.

It is the ambition of the boy to tour in Europe and deliver lectures with a view to bring about a spirit of Universal Brotherhood.

At present he is engaged writing a thesis on Bhagvat Gita which may be published very shortly.

He has been in Bombay for the last seven days and has already delivered six lectures in well-known educational institutions. Students of the Wilson College and Elphinstone College have already approached the boy for delivering lectures in their respective colleges.

Nagarajan will deliver a lecture in Matunga at the Mysore Association on the 23rd of this month on "The Life and Teachings of Ramakrishna Paramahamsa".

FAMINE RELIEF IN BENGAL

Ramkrishna Mission Needs More Funds

The President, Ramkrishna Mission Famine Relief Work, Belur Math, Howrah, sends the following weekly report of the Mission's famine relief activities in the different districts:

In the Birbhum districts, our workers have started giving doles. Last week a humble beginning was made from the Lakshmibati centre in 17 villages, 7mds. 20srs. of rice being distributed amongst 169 recipients. As the distress is acute in the area, the work will greatly increase gradually.

In the Khulna district 97mds. 13srs. of rice was distributed last week from Gabura, Jhapa and Nakipur centres amongst 1946 recipients. From Jayrambati in the Bankura district 487 recipients received doles, the total amount of rice distributed being 15mds. 36srs. Some clothes have been sent to this centre for distribution.

With the extension of areas, our financial responsibilities are daily increasing. We, therefore, hope our generous countrymen will be more liberal in contributing to our funds so that the humanitarian efforts of the Mission to save starving men and women from death, may be continued for the necessary period. Contributions will be thankfully received and acknowledged by the President.

MR. JAYA PRAKASH NARAIN

Resigns From Working Committee

PATNA, Aug. 14.

The "United Press" reliably understands that Mr. Jaya Prakash Narain, has resigned his Membership of the Congress Working Committee.

It will be remembered that at a recent meeting of the Bihar Provincial Congress Committee Mr. Awadesha Prasad Singh tendered his resignation from the A.I.C.C. to create a vacancy for Mr. Jaya Prakash Narain, but the latter declined to stand for the election, in view of the fact that he had made up his mind to resign from the Congress Working Committee.

Mr. Jaya Prakash Narain leaves for Bombay to-morrow to attend the meeting of the Executive Committee of the All-India Congress Socialist Party. He is expected to return to Patna by the end of this month. He intends to visit Calcutta for a few days on his return journey.

JAWAHARLAL BACK IN ALLAHABAD

ALLAHABAD, August 14

After visiting Lucknow and Gorakhpur Pandit Jawaharlal Nehru returned to Allahabad this morning. He is expected to leave for Bombay on August 16th.—A.P.

CONGRESS WORKER SENT TO JAIL

NEW DELHI, Aug. 14.

Mr. E. S. Lewis, Additional District Magistrate sentenced Pandit Jairam Sharma, a Congress worker of Meerut, to two years' rigorous imprisonment under Section 124 (A) I.P.C. (Sedition) for delivering a speech at the Kisan Conference held on June 19 in the village of Bakhtawarpur under the auspices of the Congress Socialist Party.

Pandit Sharma was placed in "B" Class pending inquiry about his status.—A.P.

VILLAGES TURNED INTO POOLS AND PONDS

BAREILLY, Aug. 11.

Pandit Govind Ballabh Pant, Deputy Leader of the Congress Party in the Legislative Assembly, arrived here last evening on his way to Simla from Naini Tal. He made enquiries about the relief measures adopted and the condition of the people afflicted by the floods.

Appealing for help for the flood-stricken people Pandit Pant said:

"I am exceedingly sorry to hear the tremendous havoc that has been caused in several parts of the province. The end is not yet in sight. The situation is grave, though it may become still worse. It is particularly painful as the people afflicted are utterly lacking in resources and have no staying power whatsoever and they have been deprived of everything that they possessed.

"They are in the grips of a great calamity and are literally starving. Hundreds of villages have been turned into ponds and pools. It is the duty of every individual to extend his helping hand to the unfortunate victims who are in a miserable plight. I earnestly appeal to all classes to render adequate assistance to the people living in the flood-stricken area."—United Press.

EDGAR WALLACE'S DETECTIVE STORY DAY BY DAY

Inspector Wade— *A King By Night*

THAT RAWHIDE! NOW I CAN— -- BREATHE!
WHEN JUMA USES A BOOMERANG AGAIN CLARKE--- BE SURE HE THROWS IT FASTER!
EVERSHAM!
HE DID IT! LET ME AT HIM!
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LYMAN ANDERSON
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